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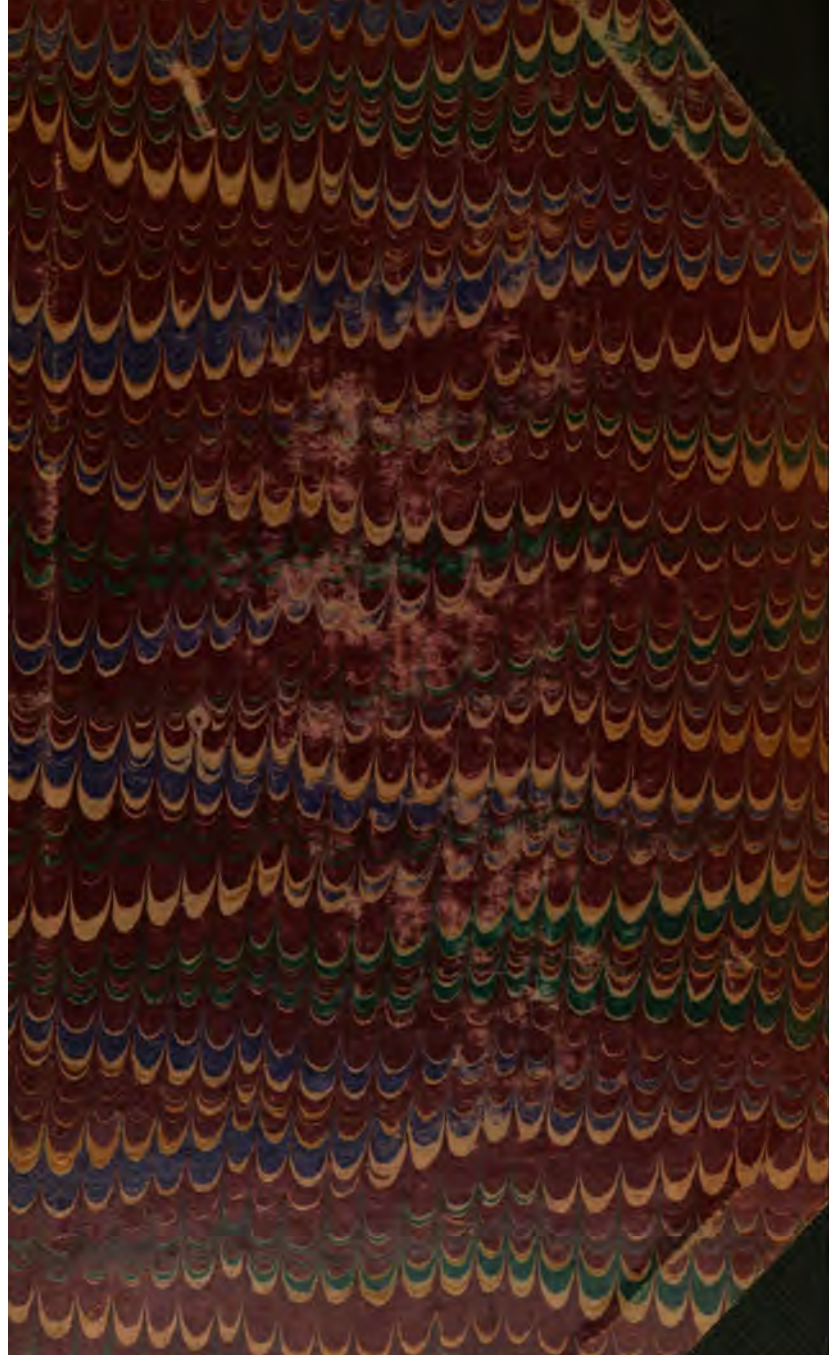
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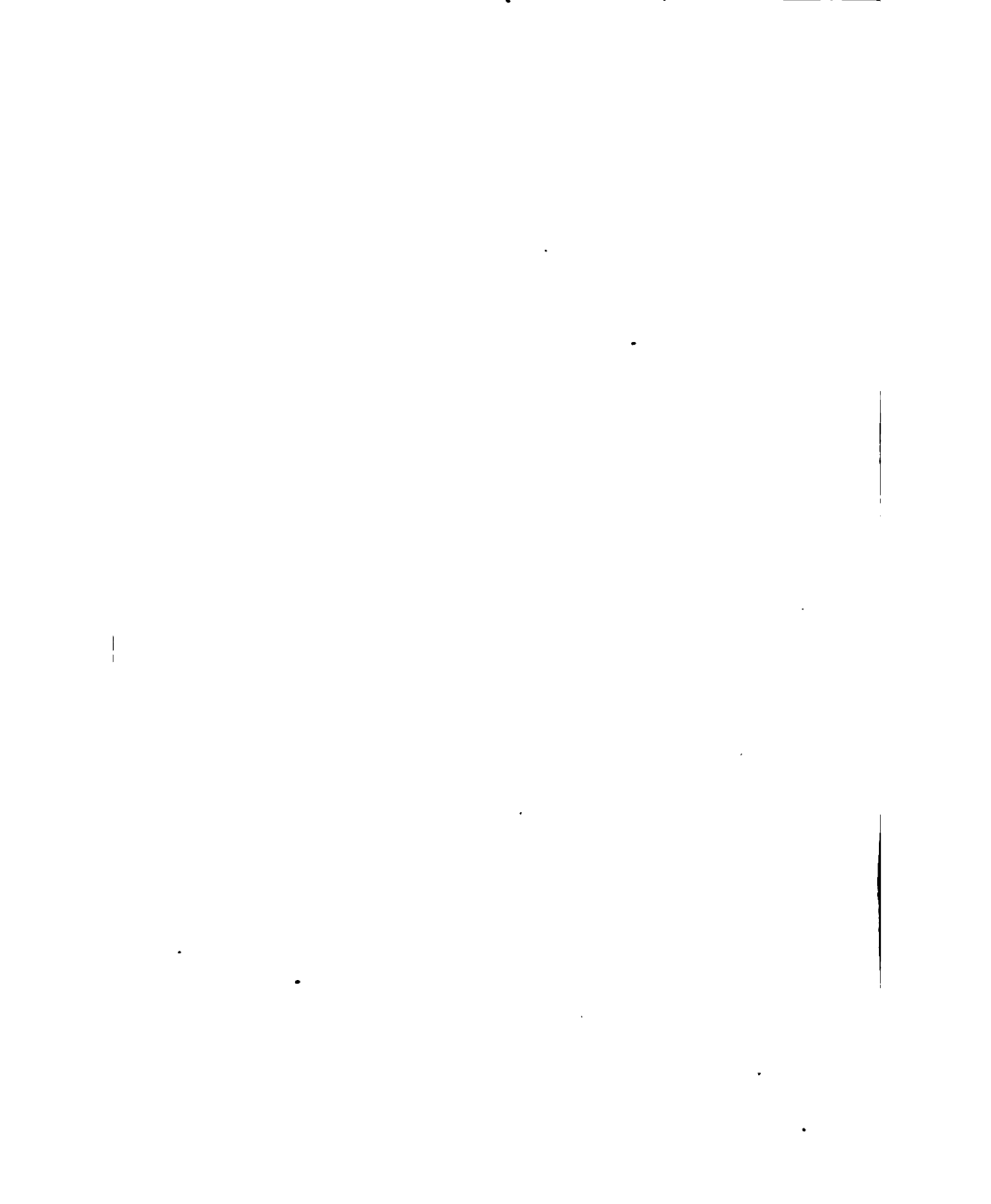
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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 2. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 4, 1906.

A training school for bakers is hereby established at Fort Riley, Kansas, under the direction of the commandant of the School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery, at which successive classes will be instructed for periods of four months.

Each class will be composed of 18 recruits selected as follows: From the cavalry 4, from the artillery 4, and from the infantry 10. The selection of men to comprise the successive classes will be made from recruits at depots under the direction of The Military Secretary, the men thus selected to be of good character and willing to learn the baker's trade.

They will be sent by orders from the War Department to report to the commanding officer, Fort Riley, Kansas, upon receipt of notification from him that he is prepared to receive them, and will be attached to troops and batteries for quarters and messing. Their employment upon any garrison duty not connected with the bakery, while undergoing instruction, is prohibited.

Upon completion of the prescribed course the men comprising a class will be assigned to regiments and directed to join their respective commands by orders from the War Department.

An officer of the Subsistence Department will have immediate charge of this school, and subject to the approval of the Commissary General is authorized to employ such civilian labor as may be found necessary, to be paid for out of subsistence funds. [950253, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 3. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 10, 1905.

1. The following spare parts and appendages for the United States magazine rifle, model of 1903 (Table I), will be issued to the ordnance officers of posts and regiments for the purpose of making repairs to arms in the hands of troops in the field and garrison. It is considered that the number opposite each part will be sufficient to cover the ordinary repairs to 100 arms for at least one year; but if for any reason a greater number is required, special requisition can be made for the additional parts needed, in which case the necessity must be fully explained. The allowance prescribed will be furnished with the first issue of arms, and thereafter post and regimental ordnance officers will submit annually on July 1 requisitions for such number of spare parts as will bring the number on hand up to the prescribed allowance. No parts other than those named in the table will be issued.

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Bolt, with extractor collar.....	2
Bolt stop.....	3
Butt plate.....	2
Butt-plate cap.....	2
Butt-plate cap pin.....	2
Butt-plate cap spring.....	5
Butt-plate cap spring screw.....	3
Butt-plate screw, large.....	2
Butt-plate screw, small.....	6
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Cocking piece, with firing-pin rod.....	4
Cut-off.....	2
Cut-off spring.....	6
Cut-off spring spindle.....	6
Cut-off spindle.....	2
Cut-off spindle screw.....	3
Ejector.....	3
Ejector pin.....	4
Extractor.....	3
Firing-pin sleeve.....	2
Follower.....	2
Front sight.....	1

TABLE I.—Continued.

Name of part.	Number allowed for 100 arms.
Front-sight pin.....	7
Floor plate.....	3
Floor-plate catch.....	2
Floor-plate catch pin.....	2
Floor-plate catch spring.....	6
Guard.....	1
Guard screw, front.....	2
Guard screw, rear.....	2
Guard-screw bushing.....	1
Hand guard, complete.....	4
Lower band.....	2
Lower-band spring.....	3
Lower-band swivel.....	2
Lower-band swivel screw.....	2
Magazine spring.....	4
Main spring.....	4
Rear sight:	
Base spring.....	5
Leaf, with eye piece, complete.....	3
Slide, with shoe.....	3
Slide screw.....	3
Slide pin.....	3
Slide spring.....	6
Slide-spring plunger.....	6
Joint pin.....	3
Rod bayonet.....	2
Rod-bayonet catch.....	2
Rod-bayonet catch spring.....	6
Rod-bayonet stud.....	2
Safety lock, complete.....	2
Sear.....	2
Sear joint pin.....	2
Sear spring.....	5
Sleeve, assembled or separately.....	2
Sleeve lock, assembled or separately.....	2
Sleeve-lock pin, assembled or separately.....	2
Sleeve-lock spring, assembled or separately.....	3
Stacking swivel.....	2
Stacking-swivel screw.....	3
Stock.....	10
Striker.....	2
Trigger.....	1
Trigger pin.....	1
Upper band.....	2
Appendages:	
Barrack cleaning rod.....	3
Front sight and muzzle cover.....	12
Oiler and thong case.....	3
Screw-driver.....	2
Thong and brush.....	8
Thong cord.....	20
Thong brush.....	10

2. Each post or regimental ordnance officer and each company or troop will be furnished with one kit of tools for use in repairing the United States magazine rifle, model of 1903.

This kit also contains tools for regulating the springs in the fasteners on the pocket flaps of the woven cartridge belt, model of 1903.

CONTENTS OF TOOL KIT.

- 1 anvil.
- 1 block.
- 7 drifts.
- 1 hammer, steel.
- 1 pliers.
- 3 screw-drivers.
- 1 set.
- 1 tool for assembling safety lock to sleeve.
- 1 steel plug for removing metal obstructions only from the bore of the rifle.
- 1 hammer, brass, to regulate socket spring in belt fasteners.
- 1 wooden block, to regulate socket spring in belt fasteners.
- 1 steel punch, to regulate socket spring in belt fasteners.

3. The following parts and appendages for the United States magazine rifle, model of 1903 (Table II), will be issued to commanding officers of ordnance depots established in time of war for making repairs and for filling requisitions from troops. From past experience it is considered that the number allowed will prove adequate for repairing 1,000 arms. Requisitions made by commanding officers of ordnance depots should be based on these numbers and the number of troops supplied by the depot.

TABLE II.

Name of part.	Number allowed for 1,000 arms.
Bolt, with extractor collar.....	30
Bolt stop.....	45
Butt plate.....	15
Butt-plate cap.....	30
Butt-plate cap pin.....	30
Butt-plate cap spring.....	45
Butt-plate cap spring screw.....	30
Butt-plate screw, large.....	30
Butt-plate screw, small.....	30
Butt swivel, complete.....	15
Cocking piece, with firing pin rod.....	30
Cut-off spring.....	30
Cut-off spring.....	60
Cut-off spring spindle.....	45
Cut-off spindle.....	30
Cut-off spindle screw.....	45

TABLE II—Continued.

Name of part.	Number allowed for 1,000 arms.
Ejector	30
Ejector pin	60
Extractor	45
Firing-pin sleeve	30
Follower	30
Front sight	30
Front-sight pin	45
Floor plate	30
Floor-plate catch	30
Floor-plate catch-pin	30
Floor-plate catch-spring	60
Guard	15
Guard screw, front	30
Guard screw, rear	30
Guard-screw bushing	15
Hand guard, complete	60
Lower band	15
Lower-band spring	30
Lower-band swivel	30
Lower-band swivel screw	30
Magazine spring	60
Mainspring	30
Rear sight:	
Base spring	45
Leaf, with eye-piece, complete	45
Slide, with shoe	45
Slide screw	45
Slide pin	45
Slide spring	60
Slide-spring plunger	60
Joint pin	30
Rod bayonet	30
Rod-bayonet catch	30
Rod-bayonet catch spring	75
Rod-bayonet stud	30
Safety lock, complete	30
Sear	30
Sear joint pin	30
Sear spring	60
Sleeve, assembled or separately	30
Sleeve lock, assembled or separately	30
Sleeve-lock pin, assembled or separately	30
Sleeve-lock spring, assembled or separately	45
Stacking swivel	30
Stacking swivel screw	45
Stock	150
Striker	30
Trigger	15
Trigger pin	15
Upper band	15
Appendages:	
Barrack cleaning rod	70
Front sight and muzzle cover	300
Oiler and thong case	100
Screw-driver	50
Thong and brush	200
Thong cord	400
Thong brush	200

4. Each ordnance depot established in time of war will be provided with the following outfits of tools for repairing arms. If these outfits are in any case found inadequate for the work special requisition should be made for the additional tools required.

For each model of rifle in use at the time, two company kits.

For each model of pistol in use at the time, two sets of the necessary tools and gauges.

One tool chest containing:

- 3 brace screw-drivers.
- 1 brace, hand, iron.
- 1 vise, Parker, No. 22, 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch jaws.
- 1 pair wooden vise clamps, faced with leather.
- 1 pair brass vise clamps, faced with leather.
- 1 hand vise, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch jaws.
- 1 8-inch monkey wrench.
- 3 head space gauges, .062, .064, and .067 inch, for rifle and carbine, models of 1896 and 1898.
- 2 head space gauges, maximum and minimum, for rifle, model of 1903.

Twenty-three files, assorted, with handles, as follows:

- 1 12-inch flat, bastard.
- 1 12-inch round, bastard.
- 1 12-inch mill, second cut.
- 1 10-inch square, bastard.
- 1 6-inch square, bastard.
- 2 10-inch square, smooth.
- 2 6-inch square, smooth.
- 1 12-inch round, bastard.
- 1 7-inch, round, bastard.
- 2 12-inch half round, smooth.
- 2 7-inch round, smooth.
- 1 8-inch three square, second cut.
- 1 6-inch three-square, bastard.
- 2 5-inch three-square, smooth.
- 2 4-inch three-square, smooth.
- 2 10-inch pillar, second cut.

5. In time of war all rifles which can not be repaired by troops from the parts issued for that purpose will be turned into the nearest ordnance depot. After examination those

rifles which can not be repaired at the depot will be shipped to either Springfield Armory or Rock Island Arsenal, as the Chief of Ordnance may direct. [958697, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 4 }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 11, 1905.

1. By authority of the President, a badge with ribbon will be issued to each officer and enlisted man in the service to whom a certificate of merit has been or may hereafter be issued; the badge and ribbon thereof will be a part of the uniform, and will be worn as hereinafter prescribed for campaign badges.

2. By authority of the President, campaign badges with ribbons will be issued as articles of the uniform to officers and enlisted men in the service to commemorate services which have been or shall hereafter be rendered in campaign.

Announcement will be made by the War Department designating campaigns for which badges will be issued and defining the conditions of award.

3. On announcement that service in a campaign is to be rewarded by a badge, company commanders will forward to The Military Secretary of the Army, through military channels, lists in duplicate of those officers and enlisted men of their present commands who served under conditions entitling them to a badge, with a statement in the case of each individual showing time and place of service, organization in which the service was rendered, and the highest rank held in the regular or volunteer army during such service. Similar lists will be forwarded by the commanders of military divisions, departments, and regiments, and by the chiefs of the Artillery and Engineer Corps and of the various staff corps and departments, respecting officers and enlisted men at present serving under their immediate command and all officers and enlisted men not otherwise included. When these lists have been verified from the records of the War Department and duly approved, the badges will be sent by The Military Secretary to the proper commanding officers for distribution.

4. Badges for each campaign will be numbered serially and a record will be kept by The Military Secretary showing the name, rank, and organization of the person to whom each badge was issued, for what service, and the highest rank held by him in the regular or volunteer army during such service.

5. Campaign badges, certificate of merit badges, and the sections of ribbon hereinafter prescribed are a part of the uniform for the officers and enlisted men to whom issued and

will be habitually worn by them as follows: On the full-dress coat and dress coat the badges will be worn in the manner prescribed for badges of military societies in the regulations for uniform.

With the service uniform a section of the ribbon of prescribed badges three-eighths inch long and of the full width of the ribbon will be worn in lieu of the badge by those entitled thereto; these ribbons to be sewed on the service coat in a horizontal line in the position prescribed for badges and decorations on the full-dress coat in the following order from the line of buttons of the coat: The medal of honor ribbon, the certificate of merit ribbon, and the campaign ribbons in the order in which earned, without space between and without overlapping.

6. Organization commanders will note on the military record of men to whom badges have been issued, the character of the badge and its number. In case of the loss of a badge by an enlisted man, his immediate commander will investigate and report upon the circumstances attending the loss and make recommendation regarding the issue of a duplicate badge. The report will be forwarded to The Military Secretary of the Army, and six months thereafter, if the badge has not been found, application for a duplicate may be made by the soldier's immediate commander.

7. The badges and ribbons herein prescribed and the bars from which badges are suspended, will be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department and will be issued gratuitously to enlisted men and at cost price to officers. Gratuitous issue to enlisted men of ribbons for badges will be limited to one ribbon for each badge during an enlistment and two sections of each ribbon for service coat per year. Any issue of ribbons in excess of this allowance will be charged to the soldier at cost price.

Neither badges nor ribbons will be worn by officers suspended from rank and command or by enlisted men serving sentence of confinement of more than five days. [932064, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 5.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 12, 1905.

In accordance with the provisions of General Orders, No. 4, January 11, 1905, War Department, campaign badges of the patterns in the office of the Quartermaster General will be issued as follows:

(a) Spanish campaign badge: To be issued to officers and enlisted men who served ashore in the Island of Cuba between May 11, 1898, and July 17, 1898; in the Island of Porto Rico between July 24, 1898, and August 13, 1898, or in the Philippine Islands between June 30, 1898, and August 16, 1898.

(b) Philippine campaign badge: To be issued to officers and enlisted men who served ashore in the Philippine Islands between February 4, 1899, and July 4, 1902, or in the Department of Mindanao between February 4, 1899, and July 15, 1903.

(c) China campaign badge: To be issued to officers and enlisted men who served ashore in China with the Pekin Relief Expedition between June 20, 1900, and May 27, 1901.

Lists of officers and enlisted men entitled to these badges will be forwarded to The Military Secretary of the Army, as directed in General Orders, No. 4, January 11, 1905, War Department. Separate lists will be made for each badge in the accompanying form. [962064, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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***List of officers and enlisted men of Company K, 44th Infantry,
entitled to the Spanish campaign badge.***

When badge was earned.

Name.	Present rank.	Rank.	Organization.	Served in * between what dates.
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*Cuba, Porto Rico, or the Philippines.

I certify that the above-named officers and men of this organization are entitled to the Spanish campaign badge for service as indicated.

Officers to be named in order of rank; enlisted men follow in alphabetical order.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 6. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *January 13, 1905.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 52, Department of the Lakes, March 31, 1904, and of which Colonel WALTER T. DUGGAN, 1st Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant JAMES M. KIMBROUGH, jr., 27th Infantry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In this that he, Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having transferred his salary vouchers for the month of October, 1903, amounting to one hundred and eighty dollars (\$180.00), to one Louis Silverman, of New York City, on the 31st day of that month, did, on the 15th day of November, 1903, transfer duplicates of said vouchers for the same month and for a like amount, viz: one hundred and eighty dollars, to the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York.”

Specification 2d—“In this that he, Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having transferred his salary vouchers for the month of November, 1903, amounting to one hundred and eighty dollars, to one S. M. Janney, did, on or about the 4th day of December, 1903, present, or cause to be presented for settlement to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, at New York City, N. Y., duplicates of said vouchers for the same month and for a like amount, viz: one hundred and eighty dollars, indorsed as follows, to wit: ‘November 30, 1903. Place to my credit with the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y. J. W. L. Phillips, Capt. 27th Inf’y.’”

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Specification 3d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having, on the 30th day of January, 1904, transferred his pay account and claim for pay in full for the month of January, 1904, to one Samuel M. Janney, of New York City, did, on the first day of February, 1904, transfer similar vouchers for the same month of January, 1904, to one Louis Silverman, of 140 Nassau Street, New York City, he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing at the time he made such assignment that the second account and claim was false and fraudulent."

Specification 4th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having made and executed in due form his certain pay account as an officer in the Army for the month of October, 1903, and having assigned the said account to Louis Silverman, of New York City, thereby parting with all title and interest therein, and, without having redeemed the same, and while it remained in full force and effect, did falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account, for the pay for the said month of October, 1903, duly made and executed, which certificate was in words as follows: 'I certify that the amount charged in the foregoing account is correct and just.'"

Specification 5th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having made and executed in due form his certain pay account as an officer of the Army for the month of November, 1903, and having assigned the said account to Samuel M. Janney, of New York City, thereby parting with all title and interest therein, and, without having redeemed the same, and while it remained in full force and effect, did falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account, for the pay of the said month of November, 1903, duly made and executed, which certificate was in words as follows: 'I certify that the amount charged in the foregoing account is correct and just.'"

Specification 6th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having made and executed in due form his certain pay account as an officer in the Army for the month of January, 1904, and having duly assigned the said account to S. M. Janney, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, and while it remained in full force and effect, did falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account for pay for the said month of January, 1904, duly made, executed and assigned to Louis Silverman, which said certificate was in words as follows: 'I certify that the amount charged in the foregoing account is correct and just.' This at New York, on or about February 1, 1904."

CHARGE II.—"Violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having duly executed and transferred his account and claim for pay as an officer of the Army of the United States, for the month of October, 1903, to Louis Silverman, of New York City, did, nevertheless, subsequently make transfer to the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., a second and duplicate account and claim for pay as an officer of the United States Army, for the same month, and for the same amount, he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having duly executed and transferred his account and claim for pay as an officer of the Army of the United States, for the month of November, 1903, to S. M. Janney, of New York City, did, nevertheless, subsequently make and present, or cause to be presented to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, on or about the 4th day of December, 1903, a second and duplicate account and claim for pay as an officer of the United States Army, for the same month, and for the same amount,

he the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent."

Specification 3d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having duly executed and transferred his account and claim for pay as an officer of the Army of the United States, for the month of January, 1904, to Samuel M. Janney, of New York City, did, nevertheless, subsequently make transfer to Louis Silverman, of New York City, a second and duplicate account and claim for pay as an officer of the United States Army, for the same month, and the same amount, he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE I.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, having in his possession, in trust for Private Peter H. Campbell, who deceased January 22, 1903, late a soldier in his, Captain *Phillips*'s, company, twenty-nine dollars and eighteen cents (\$29.18), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over the said amount of money, or any portion of same, to either the legal representatives of the said deceased soldier, or to a paymaster of the War Department; but the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert the said twenty-nine dollars and eighteen cents (\$29.18) to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1903."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, on or about January 18, 1903, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Joseph Storm, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902.

amounting to eighteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$18.57), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Storm the said pay or any portion of same, but did unlawfully and wilfully convert said eighteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$18.57) to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 3d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, on or about July 14, 1902, receive from Private James P. Smith, Company G, 27th Infantry, thirty dollars (\$30.00), U. S. currency, more or less, for safe keeping; and when the said Captain *Phillips* was some time later asked by the said Private Smith for the return of his, Private Smith's, money, he, Captain *Phillips*, did return to the said Private Smith twenty dollars (\$20.00), U. S. currency, more or less, and state that he, Captain *Phillips*, had lost the balance, and he, Private Smith, would have to lose ten dollars (\$10.00), U. S. currency, more or less; and the said Captain *Phillips* has not returned to the said Private Smith the full amount of money which the said Private Smith placed in the hands of the said Captain *Phillips* for safe keeping. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 14, 1902."

Specification 4th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received from Sergeant Charles R. Burbank, Company G, 27th Infantry, a soldier of his, Captain *Phillips*' company, the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did return to the said Sergeant Burbank only one hundred dollars of the said amount of money, though the said Captain *Phillips* had been asked by the said Sergeant Burbank for the money in question, and the said Captain *Phillips* did 'wrongfully and wilfully keep one hundred dollars of the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit.

This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about December 1, 1902, and at Plattsburg, N. Y., on or about December 25, 1901."

Specification 5th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having been asked by Sergeant William Holmes, Company G, 27th Infantry, a soldier of his, Captain *Phillips*' company, for the return of two hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$225.00), U. S. currency, more or less, which the said Captain *Phillips* had received from the said Sergeant Holmes, on or about March 28, 1902, for safe keeping, did state to the said Sergeant Holmes that he, the said Captain *Phillips*, was unable to return the said amount of money to the said Sergeant Holmes, for the reason that the money in question was in the quartermaster's safe at Parang, Mindanao, P. I., and the said amount of money was not returned to the said Sergeant Holmes until some two months later, though the said Captain *Phillips* had been asked for the money at least three times; the said Captain *Phillips* well knowing that his statement to the said Sergeant Holmes that the money in question was in the quartermaster's safe at Parang, Mindanao, P. I., was false and was intended to deceive the said Sergeant Holmes. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about the 24th day of May, 1902."

Specification 6th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, at or near Gibraltar, on or about February, 7, 1902, voluntarily propose to cash the pay accounts for the month of February, 1902, of 1st Lieutenant William L. Luhn, 11th U. S. Cavalry, amounting to one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents (\$146.66), U. S. currency, more or less, and having received from the said Lieutenant Luhn the said pay accounts, duly made out and assigned to the said Captain *Phillips*, the said Captain *Phillips* did pay over to the said Lieutenant Luhn, on account of the said pay accounts, seventy-five dollars (\$75.00), U. S. currency, more or

less, and on or about March 10, 1902, the said Lieutenant Luhn requested the said Captain *Phillips* to pay over the balance due him, which the said Captain *Phillips* failed to do, although he, the said Captain *Phillips*, had on or about March 22, 1902, received cash for the said pay accounts and, when again requested at this time by the said Lieutenant Luhn, to pay over the balance, refused to do so; and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to pay over the said balance to the said Lieutenant Luhn until about April 30, 1903, at Manila, P. I., when the said Captain *Phillips*, after being persistently urged by the said Lieutenant Luhn, did pay over the balance to the said Lieutenant Luhn."

Specification 7th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did cause his name to be entered on the sick report of his company, for the purpose of evading certain military duty, and did make the following statement to 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, 'I am able to do duty, and could go out and do duty to-day. I am only staying on sick report to protect myself from Captain Pershing,' or words to that effect. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about December 5, 1902."

Specification 8th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did request 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th U. S. Infantry, commissary, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., to pay for him, the said Captain *Phillips*, a commissary bill amounting to sixty-four dollars and sixteen cents (\$64.16), U. S. currency, more or less, due the said Lieutenant Brown, by the said Captain *Phillips*, for subsistence stores sold to his, Captain *Phillips*', company during the month of June, 1902, the said Captain *Phillips* stating to the said Lieutenant Brown that he, Captain *Phillips*, would later refund this amount of money to the said Lieut. Brown, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to return to the said Lieut. Brown the amount of money in

question or any portion of same, though the said Lieutenant Brown had made numerous demands on the said Captain *Phillips* for the money. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 9th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did request 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, commissary, to pay for him, the said Captain *Phillips*, a commissary bill amounting to eleven dollars and ninety-four cents (\$11.94), U. S. currency, more or less, due the said Lieutenant Brown, by the said Captain *Phillips*, for subsistence stores sold Captain *Phillips* for his personal use during the month of May, 1902, the said Captain *Phillips* stating to the said Lieutenant Brown that he, Captain *Phillips*, would later refund this amount of money to Lieutenant Brown, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to return to the said Lieutenant Brown the said amount of money or any portion of same, though the said Lieutenant Brown had made numerous demands on the said Captain *Phillips* for the money in question. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about May 31, 1902."

Specification 10th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, purchase from 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, commissary, certain subsistence stores for the use of his, Captain *Phillips*', company, during the months of May and June, 1902, amounting to seventy-four dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$74.67). U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* has never paid the said Lieutenant Brown, or any other person, for the supplies in question, or for any portion of the said supplies, though the said Lieutenant Brown has made numerous demands on the said Captain *Phillips* for the money in question. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., during the months of May and June, 1902."

Specification 11th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, enter, or cause to be entered, on a statement of charges of ordnance stores pertaining to Company G, 27th Infantry, for the quarter ending September 30, 1902, one rifle of the stated value of twelve dollars and fifty-three cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and did cause the said amount to be charged against the pay of Private Henry C. Carey, deceased, late of Company G, 27th Infantry, alleging that the said rifle had been 'lost in the field during the Moro campaign,' and the said Captain *Phillips* did sign a certificate on the above described statement of charges, as follows: 'I certify on honor, that the above statement is correct in every particular; that the articles have been charged on the rolls as stated and that the statements made in the column of remarks are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief,' the said Captain *Phillips* well knowing that the said rifle had not been lost as alleged, and that the above described statement or certificate, so far as it pertained to the loss of the said rifle, was false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about September 30, 1902."

Specification 12th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, enter, or cause to be entered, on the muster and pay rolls of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the bimonthly period ending August 31, 1902, a charge of twelve dollars and fifty-three cents (\$12.53), U. S. currency, more or less, for one rifle, against the pay of Private Henry C. Carey, Company G, 27th Infantry, and the said Captain *Phillips* did sign a certificate on the above described rolls to the effect that the entries opposite the name of each officer and soldier, on the said rolls, were correct and just, he, Captain *Phillips*, well knowing that the said rifle had not been lost, and that so far as it affected the charge

of one rifle against the pay of Private Carey, the certificate was false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about August 31, 1902."

Specification 13th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service, enter, or cause to be entered, against the pay and the official records of Private Henry C. Carey, Company G, 27th Infantry, a charge of the value of one rifle, twelve dollars and fifty-three cents (\$12.53), U. S. currency, more or less, which the said Private Carey was alleged to have lost while he was on field service as a member of an outpost, which was attacked at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about the night of August 11, 1902; he, the said Captain *Phillips*, well knowing when he entered, or caused to be entered, the said charge, that the said Private Carey had received his death wound when the outpost was attacked, and that he, the said Private Carey, was so badly injured that his death occurred in about twenty minutes after the attack occurred, and he, the said Private Carey, was absolutely incapable, by reason of his wounds, of caring for his rifle or any other property then with him. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about August 31, 1902, and on or about September 30, 1902."

Specification 14th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did call to his, Captain *Phillips*', tent, 2d Lieutenant S. C. Loring, 27th Infantry, he, Lieutenant Loring, being at this time a subaltern officer of his, Captain *Phillips*', company, and did state to the said Lieutenant Loring, 'that about a week before, the company fund had been blown away in a cyclone,' and the said Captain *Phillips* requested the said Lieutenant Loring, in case he, the said Lieutenant Loring, was questioned by Inspector General Pettit, in reference to the company council books and funds, to state to Inspector General

Pettit that he, the said Lieutenant Loring, had seen the company fund money and the company council book and he, the said Lieutenant Loring, knew both the company fund and company council book to be correct before the said cyclone,' or words to that effect; the said Captain *Phillips*, at the time he made the said request of the said Lieutenant Loring, well knowing that the said Lieutenant Loring had no knowledge whatever as to the condition or status of the said funds or books, and that the said request made by the said Captain *Phillips* to the said Lieutenant Loring was an attempt by the said Captain *Phillips* to knowingly obtain from the said Lieutenant Loring a false statement. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 31, 1902."

Specification 15th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive from Privates William A. Hopkinson and Thomas F. LaHaise, both of Company G, 27th Infantry, who were in charge and kept all accounts of the laundry operated by Company G, 27th Infantry, various sums of money, amounting to five hundred and ninety-three dollars (\$593.00), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to properly account for and did misappropriate and wrongfully and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit a large portion of the said funds, said misappropriation amounting to three hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-four cents, U. S. currency, more or less. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., from on or about August 1, 1902, until on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 16th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive from the commissary, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., 1st Lieutenant F. B. Hawkins, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the month of June, 1902, amounting to fifty-one

dollars and ten cents (\$51.10), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to properly account for the said savings or any portion of same, but did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money and did apply same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 17th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, enter, or cause to be entered, on line eight, page numbered 26, of the company council book, Company G, 27th Infantry, 'October 30, 1902, Commissary savings, \$72.10,' which entry was intended to show the entire savings of rations and commutation of fresh vegetables of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the month of October, 1902, when in fact the entire savings and commutation of fresh vegetables for the said month amounted to eighty-four dollars and sixty-six cents (\$84.66), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep and apply to his own use and benefit twelve dollars and fifty-six cents (\$12.56), U. S. currency, more or less, of the said amount. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about October 31, 1902."

Specification 18th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive from the commissary, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the month of January, 1903, amounting to thirty-two dollars and sixteen cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to properly account for the said amount of money or any portion of same, but did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money and did apply same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 31, 1903."

Specification 19th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, falsify a record in the company council book, Company G, 27th Infantry, by entering, or causing to be entered, on line seventeen, page numbered twenty-five, of the said council book, under date of September 30, 1902, 'Commissary bill, May, Lt. Peck, \$74.67,' which entry purported to show a payment for supplies purchased for Company G, 27th Infantry, and also a credit to Captain *Phillips* for money alleged to have been paid out by the said Captain *Phillips* in behalf of his company, the said Captain *Phillips* well knowing that the said amount had not been paid by him, and that the said entry was false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about September 30, 1902."

Specification 20th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive a certain sum of money accruing from the company exchange and pool table at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., from June 15, 1901, until January 20, 1902, the gross proceeds accruing from the said sources between the said dates being nine hundred and twelve dollars and eleven cents (\$912.11), U. S. currency, more or less, the expenditures on account of the said exchange and pool table for the said period, amounting to five hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty-three cents (\$535.53), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to properly account for the net proceeds accruing from the said exchange and pool table for the said period, amounting to three hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$376.58), U. S. currency, more or less. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., between June 15, 1901, and January 20, 1902."

Specification 21st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, being absent from his station

and Company, G, 27th Infantry, between June 23, 1902, and June 29, 1902, inclusive, did upon returning to said company, sign the morning report of said company for the same period, as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 22d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, being absent from his station and company, G, 27th Infantry, between July 17, 1902, and July 22, 1902, inclusive, did, upon returning to said company, sign the morning report of said company, for the same period, as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 23, 1902."

Specification 23d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, being absent from his station and company, G, 27th Infantry, between July 17, 1902, and July 22, 1902, inclusive, did, upon returning to said company, sign the sick report of said company for the said period, as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 23, 1902."

Specification 24th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, commanding Company G, 27th Infantry, did, on or about June 22, 1902, at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., just prior to his leaving said company, on June 23, 1902, order 2d Lieutenant S. C. Loring, 27th Infantry, a subaltern of his. Captain *Phillips*' company, who would succeed to the command of the said company during the absence of the said Captain *Phillips*, in effect as follows: 'I don't want you to sign the morning report while I am away, I will be back in a few days and will sign it myself,' or words to that effect, said order of the said Captain *Phillips* being intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty."

Specification 25th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, commanding Company G, 27th Infantry, did, on or about July 16, 1902, at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., just prior to his leaving said company, on July 17, 1902, order 2d Lieutenant S. C. Loring, 27th Infantry, a subaltern of his, Captain *Phillips*', company, who would succeed to the command of the said company during the absence of the said Captain *Phillips*, in effect as follows: 'Don't sign the morning report while I am away,' or words to that effect, said order of the said Captain *Phillips* being intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty."

Specification 26th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service, sell or dispose of one Winchester rifle, number 31244, caliber 30, U. S. model 1895, for value received, to three separate and distinct persons, to wit: Sergeant Charles R. Burbank, Company G, 27th Infantry, Datto Pedro, a Moro chief of the Lake Lanao, Mindanao district, P. I., and Mr. Frank P. Helm, a resident of Parang, Mindanao, P. I., and the said Captain *Phillips* did accept money or other valuable consideration from each and every one of the above three described persons, in consideration of the sale of the said rifle by the said Captain *Phillips* to the said three persons. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., between August 1, 1902, and February 23, 1903."

Specification 27th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did request 1st Lieutenant H. S. Wagner, 14th Infantry, to make a purchase of a lot of swagger sticks for the said Captain *Phillips*, and after the said Lieutenant Wagner had purchased the said swagger sticks for the said Captain *Phillips*, the cost price of the said swagger sticks being twelve dollars (\$12.00), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to reimburse the said Lieutenant Wagner for the

amount expended by him in behalf and for the benefit of the said Captain *Phillips*, though the attention of the said Captain *Phillips* was called to the said unpaid debt by the said Lieutenant Wagner on two or more occasions. This at Zamboanga, Mindanao, P. I., on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 28th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did authorize the American Commercial Company, Manila, P. I., to make a draft on him for the amount of account due the said company by the said Captain *Phillips*, amounting with interest to two hundred dollars and sixty cents (\$200.60), U. S. currency, more or less, through the First National Bank, Plattsburg, New York, and the said company did make the said draft as authorized and requested by the said Captain *Phillips*, but did fail to receive pay for the said draft or for any portion of same, the draft being returned by the said bank to the said company unpaid, there being no funds in the said bank belonging to the said Captain *Phillips* to meet the said draft, and the said bank being unable to locate the said Captain *Phillips*. This at Manila, P. I., on or about September 8, 1903."

Specification 29th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did on or about January 18, 1903, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Charles H. Spiegel, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902, amounting to six dollars and forty-nine cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail to turn over to the said Private Spiegel the said amount of money, or any portion of same, though he had been asked for the said pay by the said Private Spiegel on two or more occasions, until the said Captain *Phillips* was directed to turn over the said pay by the commanding officer, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on or about March 10, 1904.

This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 30th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did on or about July 14, 1902, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Captain Robert S. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Cecil B. Looman, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the period from December 9, 1901, to June 30, 1902, amounting to eighty-six dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$86.69), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail to turn over to the said Private Looman the full amount of said pay, but did turn over to the said Private Looman but eighty dollars (\$80.00) of the amount he, the said Captain *Phillips*, had received from the said Captain Smith, in trust for the said Private Looman, and the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert six dollars and sixty-nine cents of the said pay to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 14, 1902."

Specification 31st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, on or about January 15, 1902, at Plattsburg, N. Y., in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Major George R. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Emil Fenzel, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1901, amounting to thirteen dollars and thirty-seven cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Fenzel the said pay or any portion of same, though the said Captain *Phillips* had been asked for the said pay by the said Private Fenzel on one or more occasions, and the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert said thirteen dollars and thirty-seven cents to his own use and benefit."

Specification 32d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, on or about May 25, 1902, at

Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Major Robert S. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Claude Damon, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of March and April, 1902, amounting to ten dollars and ninety-five cents, (\$10.95), U. S. currency. more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Damon the said pay or any portion of the same, and the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert the said ten dollars and ninety-five cents to his own use and benefit."

Specification 33d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, at Manila, P. I., on or about April 22, 1903, make and deliver to Captain George P. Ahern, 9th U. S. Infantry, a certain writing purporting to be his, Captain *John W. L. Phillips*', check on the First National Bank, Plattsburg, New York, for the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), dated April 22, 1903, and made payable to said Captain Ahern, and did, by means of such writing, fraudulently, knowingly, and designedly, obtain from the said Captain Ahern the sum of two hundred dollars, with the intent then and there to defraud the said Captain Ahern, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued. This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 34th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about December 4, 1902, make and deliver to 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, a certain writing purporting to be his, Captain *Phillips*', check on the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), dated December 4, 1902, and made payable to the said 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, and

did, by means of such writing, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly, obtain from the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or the equivalent thereof, with intent then and there to defraud the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued. This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 35th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive from the commissary, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., 1st Lieutenant Clarence Deems, jr., Artillery Corps, the savings on rations of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the month of July, 1902, amounting to forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to account for the said savings or any portion of the same, but did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money and did apply same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 31, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE II.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification.—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, being a company commander in the service of the United States, and as such having in his possession public arms of the United States, furnished and intended for the military service thereof, and duly entrusted to his charge in and for the said service, did wrongfully and in violation of said trust, embezzle and knowingly and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit, by taking away among his personal effects, to be kept by him for his own use and purposes, one or more U. S. magazine rifles, each of the value of thirteen dollars and seventy-two cents (\$13.72), U. S. currency, more or less. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about August 12, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE III.—“Embezzlement, in violation of the 62d Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for Private Peter H. Campbell, who deceased January 22, 1903, late a soldier in his, Captain *Phillips*’, company, the sum of twenty-nine dollars and eighteen cents (\$29.18), more or less, did fail and neglect to turn over the said amount of money to the legal representatives of the said deceased soldier, or a paymaster of the U. S. Army, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1902.”

Specification 2d—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Joseph Storm, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902, amounting to eighteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$18.57), did fail to turn over the said amount of money to the said Private Storm, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903.”

Specification 3d—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping from Private James P. Smith, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00), did fail to turn over the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) of the said amount of money, to the said Private Smith, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) from the funds of the said Private Smith. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 14, 1902.”

Specification 4th—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping from Sergeant William Holmes, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of two hundred and twenty-

five dollars (\$225.00), did fail to turn over the said amount of money on demand to the said Sergeant Holmes, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about the 24th day of May, 1902."

Specification 5th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did at or near Gibraltar, on or about February 7, 1902, voluntarily propose to cash the pay accounts for the month of February, 1902, of 1st Lieutenant William L. Luhn, 11th Cavalry, amounting to one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents (\$146.66), and having received from the said Lieutenant Luhn the said pay accounts, duly made out and assigned to the said Captain *Phillips*, did pay over to the said Lieutenant Luhn, on account of the said pay accounts, the sum of seventy-five dollars, and did, after having received cash from the United States Government for the said pay accounts, amounting to one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents (\$146.66), on or about March 22, 1902, fraudulently embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the balance due the said Lieutenant Luhn, on the said pay accounts, amounting to seventy-one dollars and sixty-six cents, more or less."

Specification 6th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the funds derived from the operation of the company laundry, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of three hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-four cents, more or less, of the said funds. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., from on or about August 1, 1902, until on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 7th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company,

for the month of June, 1902, amounting to fifty-one dollars and ten cents, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 8th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings of rations and commutation of fresh vegetables of the said company, for the month of October, 1902, amounting to eighty-four dollars and sixty-six cents (\$84.66), did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of twelve dollars and fifty-six cents (\$12.56) of the said fund. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about October 31, 1902."

Specification 9th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company for the month of January, 1903, amounting to thirty-two dollars and sixteen cents, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 31, 1903."

Specification 10th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, as commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of seventy-four dollars and sixty-seven cents of the said company fund. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about September 30, 1902."

Specification 11th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, a sum of money accruing from the company exchange and pool table, amounting to nine hundred and twelve dollars and eleven cents (\$912.11), more or less, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of

three hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$376.58), more or less, of the said funds. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., between June 15, 1901, and January 20, 1902."

Specification 12th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company, for the month of July, 1902, amounting to forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents (\$43.25), did fraudulently embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 31, 1902."

Specification 13th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the company fund of said company, amounting to one hundred and seven dollars and six cents (\$107.06), did upon being relieved from command of said company fail to turn over the said fund to his successor, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1903."

Specification 14th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, received in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Charles H. Spiegel, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902, amounting to six dollars and forty-nine cents (\$6.49), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Spiegel the said pay or any portion of the same until he, the said Captain *Phillips*, was directed to do so by the commanding officer, Fort Sheridan, Ill., on or about March 10, 1904. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903."

Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive in trust from Major Robert S. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Claude Damon, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of March and April, 1902, amounting to ten dollars and ninety-five cents, (\$10.95), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Damon the said pay or any portion of the same, and the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert the said ten dollars and ninety-five cents to his own use and benefit."

Specification 33d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, at Manila, P. I., on or about April 22, 1903, make and deliver to Captain George P. Ahern, 9th U. S. Infantry, a certain writing purporting to be his, Captain *John W. L. Phillips*', check on the First National Bank, Plattsburg, New York, for the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), dated April 22, 1903, and made payable to said Captain Ahern, and did, by means of such writing, fraudulently, knowingly, and designedly, obtain from the said Captain Ahern the sum of two hundred dollars, with the intent then and there to defraud the said Captain Ahern, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued. This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 34th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about December 4, 1902, make and deliver to 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, 27th Infantry, a certain writing purporting to be his, Captain *Phillips*', check on the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), dated December 4, 1902, and made payable to the said 2d Lieutenant Thomas W. Brown, and

did, by means of such writing, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly, obtain from the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or the equivalent thereof, with intent then and there to defraud the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued. This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 35th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, receive from the commissary, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., 1st Lieutenant Clarence Deems, jr., Artillery Corps, the savings on rations of Company G, 27th Infantry, for the month of July, 1902, amounting to forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents, U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to account for the said savings or any portion of the same, but did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money and did apply same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 31, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE II.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, being a company commander in the service of the United States, and as such having in his possession public arms of the United States, furnished and intended for the military service thereof, and duly entrusted to his charge in and for the said service, did wrongfully and in violation of said trust, embezzle and knowingly and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit, by taking away among his personal effects, to be kept by him for his own use and purposes, one or more U. S. magazine rifles, each of the value of thirteen dollars and seventy-two cents (\$13.72), U. S. currency, more or less. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about August 12, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE III.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for Private Peter H. Campbell, who deceased January 22, 1903, late a soldier in his, Captain *Phillips'*, company, the sum of twenty-nine dollars and eighteen cents (\$29.18), more or less, did fail and neglect to turn over the said amount of money to the legal representatives of the said deceased soldier, or a paymaster of the U. S. Army, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1902."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Joseph Storm, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902, amounting to eighteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$18.57), did fail to turn over the said amount of money to the said Private Storm, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 3d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping from Private James P. Smith, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00), did fail to turn over the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) of the said amount of money, to the said Private Smith, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) from the funds of the said Private Smith. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 14, 1902."

Specification 4th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping from Sergeant William Holmes, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of two hundred and twenty-

five dollars (\$225.00), did fail to turn over the said amount of money on demand to the said Sergeant Holmes, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about the 24th day of May, 1902."

Specification 5th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did at or near Gibraltar, on or about February 7, 1902, voluntarily propose to cash the pay accounts for the month of February, 1902, of 1st Lieutenant William L. Luhn, 11th Cavalry, amounting to one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents (\$146.66), and having received from the said Lieutenant Luhn the said pay accounts, duly made out and assigned to the said Captain *Phillips*, did pay over to the said Lieutenant Luhn, on account of the said pay accounts, the sum of seventy-five dollars, and did, after having received cash from the United States Government for the said pay accounts, amounting to one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents (\$146.66), on or about March 22, 1902, fraudulently embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the balance due the said Lieutenant Luhn, on the said pay accounts, amounting to seventy-one dollars and sixty-six cents, more or less."

Specification 6th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the funds derived from the operation of the company laundry, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of three hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-four cents, more or less, of the said funds. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., from on or about August 1, 1902, until on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 7th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company,

for the month of June, 1902, amounting to fifty-one dollars and ten cents, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I. on or about June 30, 1902."

Specification 8th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings of rations and commutation of fresh vegetables of the said company, for the month of October, 1902, amounting to eighty-four dollars and sixty-six cents (\$84.66), did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of twelve dollars and fifty-six cents (\$12.56) of the said fund. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about October 31, 1902."

Specification 9th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company for the month of January, 1903, amounting to thirty-two dollars and sixteen cents, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 31, 1903."

Specification 10th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, as commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of seventy-four dollars and sixty-seven cents of the said company fund. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about September 30, 1902."

Specification 11th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, a sum of money accruing from the company exchange and pool table, amounting to nine hundred and twelve dollars and eleven cents (\$912.11), more or less, did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the sum of

three hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$376.58), more or less, of the said funds. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., between June 15, 1901, and January 20, 1902."

Specification 12th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the savings on rations of the said company, for the month of July, 1902, amounting to forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents (\$43.25), did fraudulently embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 31, 1902."

Specification 13th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in his official capacity as company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, the company fund of said company, amounting to one hundred and seven dollars and six cents (\$107.06), did upon being relieved from command of said company fail to turn over the said fund to his successor, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1903."

Specification 14th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, received in trust from Captain S. Howell, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Charles H. Spiegel, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1902, amounting to six dollars and forty-nine cents (\$6.49), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Spiegel the said pay or any portion of the same until he, the said Captain *Phillips*, was directed to do so by the commanding officer, Fort Sheridan, Ill., on or about March 10, 1904. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 18, 1903."

Specification 15th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, received in trust from Captain Robert S. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Cecil B. Looman, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the period from December 9, 1901, to June 30, 1902, amounting to eighty-six dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$86.69), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over the full amount of the said pay to the said Private Looman, or to properly account for the same, but the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert six dollars and sixty-nine cents of the said pay to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about July 14, 1902."

Specification 16th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, received in trust from Major George R. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Emil Fenzel, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of November and December, 1901, amounting to thirteen dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$13.37), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over the said pay or any portion of same to the said Private Fenzel, or to properly account for same, but the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert said thirteen dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$13.37), to his own use and benefit. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., on or about January 7, 1902."

Specification 17th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, received in trust from Major Robert S. Smith, paymaster, U. S. Army, the pay of Private Claude Damon, Company G, 27th Infantry, for the months of March and April, 1902, amounting to ten dollars and ninety-five cents (\$10.95), U. S. currency, more

or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over the said pay or any portion of same, to the said Private Damon, or to properly account for the same, but the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert the said ten dollars and ninety-five cents (\$10.95), to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about May 25, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE IV.—"Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, on being relieved of the command of his company, G, 27th Infantry, on or about February 22, 1903, at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., by 1st Lieutenant William B. Gracie, 27th Infantry, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail to deliver to the said Lieutenant Gracie, the company fund of the said Company G, 27th Infantry, amounting to one hundred and seven dollars and six cents (\$107.06), U. S. currency, more or less, but did keep and take with him, the said Captain *Phillips*, the said company fund, and further, the said Captain *Phillips* having reported for duty at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, the station of his, the said Captain *Phillips*' company, on the 29th of February, 1904, on being placed in arrest by his commanding officer and being ordered by an official order of the commanding officer of the post of Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and of the 27th Infantry, on or about the 9th day of March, 1904, to turn over the company fund of Company G, 27th Infantry, to 1st Lieutenant E. V. D. Murphy, 27th Infantry, then commanding said company, did fail to comply with said order."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did purchase and receive from the American Commercial Company, Manila, P. I., a certain lot of liquors and cigars and other goods, of the aggregate value of one hundred and eighty-three

dollars and ninety-four cents (\$183.94), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* having received the said goods and applied the same to his own use and benefit, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to pay for the said goods though the said American Commercial Company have repeatedly requested the said Captain *Phillips* to settle the said account. This at Manila, P. I., on or about March 26, 1902."

Specification 3d—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did purchase and receive from the Cottabato Trading Company, Cottabato, Mindanao, P. I., a certain lot of liquors, cigars, and other goods, of the aggregate value of two hundred and sixteen dollars and thirteen cents (\$216.13) U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* having received the said goods and applied same to his own use and benefit, the said Captain *Phillips* has failed and neglected to pay for the said goods or for any portion of said goods though the Cottabato Trading Company have repeatedly requested the said Captain *Phillips* to settle the said account. This at Cottabato, Mindanao, P. I., on or about December 22, 1902."

Specification 4th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did purchase and receive from Acisclo Gimenez, Parang, Parang, Mindanao, P. I., a certain lot of liquors, cigars and other goods, of the aggregate value of one hundred and seven dollars and seventy cents (\$107.70), U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* having received the said goods and applied the same to his own use and benefit, the said Captain *Phillips* has failed and neglected to pay for the said goods or for any portion of said goods, though the said Acisclo Gimenez has repeatedly requested the said Captain *Phillips* to settle the said account. This at Parang, Parang, Mindanao, P. I., on or about October 13, 1902."

1ST ADDITIONAL CHARGE V.—“Neglect of duty, in violation of the 62d Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., June 30, 1901.”

Specification 2d—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., September 30, 1901.”

Specification 3d—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., December 31, 1901.”

Specification 4th—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at or near Malabang, Mindanao, P. I., March 31, 1902.”

Specification 5th—“In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each

quarter. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., June 30, 1902."

Specification 6th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations, (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., September 30, 1902."

Specification 7th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, in his official capacity of company commander, Company G, 27th Infantry, neglect to comply with the requirements of paragraph 319, Army Regulations (1901), requiring that a company council be convened the last day of each quarter. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., December 31, 1902."

Specification 8th—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did, as commanding officer, Company G, 27th Infantry, turn over the company council book, Company G, 27th Infantry, to his successor, 1st Lieutenant William B. Gracie, 27th Infantry, in a torn and mutilated condition, the first twenty pages being torn therefrom. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about February 22, 1903."

2D ADDITIONAL CHARGE I.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification.—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust until next pay day from Sergeant Charles R. Burbank, Company G, 27th Infantry, a soldier of his, Captain *Phillips*' company, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), U. S. currency, more or less, the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to return to the said Sergeant Burbank, the said amount of money, or any portion of same, though the said Captain *Phillips* had been asked by the said Sergeant Burbank, for the money in question, and the said

Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 20, 1903."

2D ADDITIONAL CHARGE II.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 62d Article of War.

Specification.—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping until next pay day from Sergeant Charles R. Burbank, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of one hundred dollars, more or less, did fail to turn over the said amount of money to the said Sergeant Burbank, although the said Sergeant Burbank made several demands after the said pay day upon the said Captain *Phillips* for the return of the said money, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 20, 1903."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing at the time he made such assignment that the second account and claim was false and fraudulent,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'and present, or cause to be presented, to the chief paymaster, Department of the East,' and of the words 'he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing that the said claim was false and fraudulent,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

1st Additional Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to turn over to the said Private Storm the said pay, or any portion of the same, but did unlawfully and wilfully convert said eighteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$18.57) to his own use and benefit,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep one hundred dollars of the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'the said Captain *Phillips* well knowing that his statement to the said Sergeant Holmes, that the money in question was in the quartermaster's safe, at Parang, Mindanao, P. I., was false and was intended to deceive the said Sergeant Holmes,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 20, 1903."

2D ADDITIONAL CHARGE II.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 62d Article of War.

Specification.—"In that Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having received in trust for safe keeping until next pay day from Sergeant Charles R. Burbank, Company G, 27th Infantry, the sum of one hundred dollars, more or less, did fail to turn over the said amount of money to the said Sergeant Burbank, although the said Sergeant Burbank made several demands after the said pay day upon the said Captain *Phillips* for the return of the said money, but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same. This at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I., on or about January 20, 1903."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'he, the said Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, well knowing at the time he made such assignment that the second account and claim was false and fraudulent,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the word 'falsely,' and of the excepted word not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

To the 21st *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 22d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 23d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 24th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty,' substituting therefor the words 'given the said Lieutenant Loring in accordance with verbal instructions given the said Captain *Phillips* by the commanding officer, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I.:' of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

To the 25th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty,' substituting therefor the words 'given the said Lieutenant Loring in accordance with verbal instructions given the said Captain *Phillips* by the commanding officer, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I.:' of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

To the 26th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 27th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 28th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 29th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 30th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 31st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 32d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 33d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'fraudulently, knowingly and designedly,' and the words 'with intent then and there to defraud the said Captain Ahern, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued, this to the scandal and disgrace

of the military service of the United States.' Of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 34th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'fraudulently, knowingly and designedly,' and the words 'with the intent then and there to defraud the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued, this to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

To the 35th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

1st Additional Charge II.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

1st Additional Charge III.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 9th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 15th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 16th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

1st Additional Charge IV.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'comply with said order,' substituting therefor the words 'turn over said fund to 1st Lieutenant E. V. D. Murphy until about April 13, 1904.' Of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

1st Additional Charge V.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

2d Additional Charge I.

To the *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'in trust until the next pay day,' and of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit.' Of the excepted words not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

2d Additional Charge II.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

1st Additional Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'and wilfully,' and adding after the word 'benefit' the words 'until June 14th, 1904.' Of the excepted words not guilty; of the added words, guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep one hundred dollars of the said amount of money, and did apply the same to his own use and benefit,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* well knowing that his statement to the said Sergeant Holmes, that the money in question was in the quartermaster's safe, at Parang, Mindanao, P. I., was false and was intended to deceive the said Sergeant Holmes,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'the said Captain *Phillips*, well knowing that the said rifle had not been lost, as alleged, and that the above described statement or certificate, so far as it pertains to the loss of the said rifle was false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'he, Captain *Phillips*, well knowing that the said rifle had not been lost, and so far as it affected the charge of one rifle against the pay of Private Carey, the certificate was false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words, not guilty."

Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'to the scandal and disgrace of the military service,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'and kept all accounts,' and the words 'amounting to five hundred and ninety-three dollars (\$593.00) U. S. currency, more or less, and the said Captain *Phillips* did fail and neglect to properly account for and did misappropriate and wrongfully and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit a large portion of the said funds, said misappropriation amounting to three hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-four cents, U. S. currency, more or less,' and substituting for the latter the words 'and did through criminal carelessness fail and neglect properly to account for the expenditure of said funds.' Of the excepted words not guilty; of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 16th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 17th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the word 'wilfully,' substituting therefor the words 'through carelessness,' and of the excepted word not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 18th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the word 'wilfully,' substituting therefor the words 'through carelessness,' and of the excepted word not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 19th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 20th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 21st *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 22d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'as being present, said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 23d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'said act being false and intended to deceive,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 24th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty,' substituting therefor the words 'given the said Lieutenant Loring in accordance with verbal instructions given the said Captain *Phillips* by the commanding officer, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I.'; of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 25th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'intended by the said Captain *Phillips* to prevent the said Lieutenant Loring from properly performing an official duty,' substituting therefor the words 'given the said Lieutenant Loring in accordance with verbal instructions given the said Captain *Phillips* by the commanding officer, Camp Vicars, Mindanao, P. I.'; of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 26th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 27th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 28th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 29th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 30th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert six dollars and sixty-nine cents of the said pay to his own use and benefit,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 31st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 32d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 33d *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'fraudulently, knowingly and designedly,' and of the words 'with the intent then and there to defraud the said Captain Ahern, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, New York, for the payment of said check, and that it

was worthless when issued, this to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States.' Of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 34th *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'fraudulently, knowingly and designedly,' and the words 'with the intent then and there to defraud the said 2d Lieutenant Brown, then and there well knowing that he had not the funds in the First National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., for the payment of said check, and that it was worthless when issued, this to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 35th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

1st Additional Charge II.

Of the *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

1st Additional Charge III.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'but did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and convert to his own use the same,' substituting therefor the words 'until June 14, 1904.' Of the excepted words not guilty; of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and,' substituting therefor the words 'wrongfully and through carelessness;' of the excepted words not guilty; of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'fraudulently and feloniously embezzle, steal and,' substituting therefor the words 'wrongfully and through carelessness;' of the excepted words, not guilty; of the substituted words, guilty."

Of the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'but the said Captain *Phillips* did unlawfully and wilfully convert six dollars and sixty-nine cents of the said pay to his own use and benefit,' of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 16th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

1st Additional Charge IV.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'comply with said order,' substituting therefor the words 'turn over said fund to 1st Lieutenant E. V. D. Murphy until about April 13, 1904.' Of the excepted words not guilty, and of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

1st Additional Charge V.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

2d Additional Charge I.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty, with the exception of the words 'in trust until next pay day,' and of the words 'and the said Captain *Phillips* did wrongfully and wilfully keep the said amount of money, and did apply the same to

his own use and benefit.' Of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Not guilty, but guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in violation of the 62d Article of War."

2d Additional Charge II.

Of the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
Of the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th Infantry, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

WHITE HOUSE, December 23d, 1904.

In the foregoing case of Captain *John W. L. Phillips*, 27th Infantry, U. S. Army, the sentence is confirmed and will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Captain *Phillips* ceases to be an officer of the Army from December 31, 1904. [957180 M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }

No. 7. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, *January 14, 1905.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 206, Department of the Columbia, November 4, 1904, and of which Colonel EDGAR Z. STEEVER, 4th Cavalry, was president, and Major HENRY M. MORROW, judge advocate, United States Army, was judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, United States Army.

CHARGE I.—“Making a false report, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about December 12th, 1903, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*’, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty-five thousand six hundred and thirteen dollars and nineteen cents (\$25,613.19), well knowing that the amount of said deposit on the said date was but twenty-five thousand five hundred and thirteen dollars and nineteen cents (\$25,513.19). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified.”

Specification 2d—“In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about December 26th, 1903, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*’, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirteen thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars and eleven cents (\$13,279.11), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but twelve thousand five hundred and sixty-eight dollars and seventeen cents (\$12,568.17). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified.”

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Specification 3d—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about January 9th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that time on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty-two thousand nine hundred and ninety dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$22,990.97), well knowing that the amount of said deposit on the said date was but twenty-two thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven dollars and ninety-five cents (\$22,867.95). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 4th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about January 30th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of seventy thousand six hundred and eighty-eight dollars and ninety-two cents (\$70,688.92), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but seventy thousand two hundred and six dollars and forty-six cents (\$70,206.46). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 5th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about February 6th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of forty-five thousand five hundred and sixty-three dollars and thirty-nine cents (\$45,563.39), well knowing that the amount of said deposit was but forty-five thousand and seventy-one dollars and forty-eight cents (\$45,071.48). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

pecification 6th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about February 13th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirty-six thousand four hundred and seventy-two dollars and sixteen cents (\$36,472.16), well knowing that the amount of said deposit was but thirty-six thousand and eighty dollars and twenty-five cents (\$36,080.25). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

pecification 7th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about February 20th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty-one thousand four hundred and sixty-one dollars and fifty-two cents (\$21,461.52), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was twenty-one thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars and twenty-one cents (\$21,737.21). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

pecification 8th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about March 5th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of forty-six thousand seven hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty-three cents (\$46,724.23), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but forty-five thousand seven hundred and forty-seven dollars and forty-nine cents (\$45,747.49). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 9th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about March 12th, 1904 falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*'s, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirty eight thousand eight hundred and ten dollars and seventy-six cents (\$38,810.76), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but thirty-eight thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$38,187.59). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 10th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about March 19th, 1904 falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*'s, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty four thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine dollars and seventy-one cents (\$24,959.71), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but twenty-four thousand three hundred and thirty-six dollars and fifty-four cents (\$24,336.54). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 11th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about March 26th, 1904 falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*'s, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty four thousand two hundred and twenty dollars and eighty-one cents (\$24,220.81), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was twenty-three thousand two hundred and forty-four dollars and seven cents (\$23,244.07). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

recification 12th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about April 2nd, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of sixty-one thousand and seventy-one dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$61,071.28), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but fifty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty-nine dollars and fifty-six cents (\$59,759.56). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

recification 13th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about April 9th, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirty-nine thousand four hundred and twenty-nine dollars and seventeen cents (\$39,429.17), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but thirty-eight thousand one hundred and seventeen dollars and forty-five cents (\$38,117.45). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

recification 14th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about April 16, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty-four thousand three hundred and seventy-four dollars and seventy-two cents (\$24,374.72), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but twenty-three thousand and sixty-three dollars and no cents (\$23,063.00). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 15th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about April 23, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at the date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty thousand two hundred and eighty-nine dollars and ten cents (\$22,289.10), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but twenty thousand nine hundred and sixty-four dollars and twenty-two cents (\$20,964.22). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 16th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about May 7, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at the date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of forty-eight thousand three hundred and one dollars and six cents (\$48,301.06), well knowing that the amount of such deposit was on the said date but forty-six thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine dollars and thirty-four cents (\$46,989.34). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 17th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about May 14, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at the date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*, official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirty-three thousand six hundred and fifty-one dollars and sixty-one cents (\$33,651.61), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but thirty-two thousand and seventy-four dollars and eighty-seven cents (\$32,074.87). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 18th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about May 21, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of twenty-two thousand four hundred and ninety-four dollars and nineteen cents (\$22,494.19), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but twenty-one thousand five hundred and twenty-two dollars and eighty-seven cents (\$21,522.87). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 19th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about May 28, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of forty-six thousand six hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty-one cents (\$46,672.51), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but forty-five thousand six hundred and ninety-five dollars and seventy-seven cents (\$45,695.77). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 20th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about June 4, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of thirty-five thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and thirty-two cents (\$35,187.32), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but thirty-four thousand two hundred and ten dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$34,210.58). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 21st—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, on or about June 11, 1904, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, on Form No. 29, Pay Department, that there was at that date on deposit with the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, to his, the said Major *Rees*', official credit and subject to his draft, the sum of seventeen thousand and eighty-seven dollars and thirty-nine cents (\$17,087.39), well knowing that the amount of such deposit on the said date was but sixteen thousand one hundred and ten dollars and sixty-five cents (\$16,110.65). This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the date above specified."

Specification 22d—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, in his account current for January, 1904, Form No. 7, Pay Department, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, that his, the said Major *Rees*', money balance in the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, on January 31, 1904, was sixty thousand dollars and sixty-two cents (\$60,000.62), well knowing that the said balance on the said date was but fifty-nine thousand five hundred and eighteen dollars and sixteen cents (\$59,518.16), and did certify on the face of the said account current that his balance was correctly set forth thereon. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about January 31, 1904."

Specification 23d—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, in his account current for February, 1904, Form No. 7, Pay Department, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, that his, the said Major *Rees*', money balance in the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, on February 29, 1904, was sixty thousand nine hundred and thirty-five dollars and seventy-seven cents (\$60,935.77), well knowing that the said balance on the said date was but fifty-nine thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine dollars and three cents (\$59,959.03), and did certify on the face of the said account current that his balance was correctly set forth thereon. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about February 29, 1904."

Specification 24th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, in his account current for March, 1904, Form No. 7, Pay Department, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, that his, the said Major *Rees*', money balance in the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, on February 29, 1904, was sixty-two thousand one hundred and thirteen dollars and three cents (\$62,113.03), well knowing that the said balance on the said date was but sixty thousand eight hundred and one dollars and thirty-one cents (\$60,801.31), and did certify on the face of the said account current that his balance was correctly set forth thereon. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about March 31, 1904."

Specification 25th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, in his account current for April, 1904, Form No. 7, Pay Department, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, that his, the said Major *Rees*', money balance in the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, on April 30, 1904, was fifty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty-eight dollars and fifty-six cents (\$58,458.56), well knowing that the said balance on the said date was but fifty-seven thousand one hundred and forty-six dollars and eighty-four cents (\$57,146.84), and did certify on the face of the said account current that his balance was correctly set forth thereon. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about April 30, 1904."

Specification 26th—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, in his account current for May, 1904, Form No. 7, Pay Department, falsely report to the Paymaster General, U. S. Army, that his, the said Major *Rees*', money balance in the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, on May 31, 1904, was thirty-eight thousand seven hundred and eight dollars and one cent (\$38,708.01), well knowing that the said balance on the said date was but thirty-seven thousand seven hundred and thirty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$37,731.27), and did certify on the face of the said account current that his balance was correctly set forth thereon. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about May 31, 1904."

CHARGE II.—“Embezzlement, in violation of the 60th Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, being a disbursing officer of the United States, and as such, having in his possession public funds of the United States, furnished and intended for the military service thereof, and duly intrusted to his charge for disbursements in and for said service, did, on or about March 20, 1904, wrongfully and 'n violation of said trust, embezzle, and knowingly and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit a portion of the said funds, to wit: the sum of three hundred and thirty-four dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$334.98), and did fail to restore the same to the United States until about May 10, 1904. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the dates above specified.”

Specification 2d—“In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, being a disbursing officer of the United States, and as such, having in his possession public funds of the United States, furnished and intended for the military service thereof, and duly intrusted to his charge for disbursement in and for said service, did, on or about February 20, 1904, wrongfully and in violation of said trust, embezzle, and knowingly and wilfully apply to his own use and benefit a portion of the said funds, to wit: the sum of nine hundred and seventy-six dollars and seventy-four cents (\$976.74), and did fail to restore the same to the United States until about June 16, 1904. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about the dates above specified.”

CHARGE III.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, having at Portland, Oregon, on or about the 15th day of June, 1904, borrowed of Captain *Jesse M. Baker*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, five hundred dollars (\$500.00), and having promised to repay the same to the said Captain *Baker* on or

before July 1, 1904, has, notwithstanding repeated requests of the said Captain *Baker* of the said Major *Rees* to pay the said sum of money, failed to pay to the said Captain *Baker* the said sum and continues still to owe the same, except one hundred dollars (\$100.00) paid to the said Captain *Baker* on or about September 30, 1904. This at Portland, Oregon, between the dates of June 14, 1904, and October 12, 1904, the date of these charges."

Specification 2d—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, at Portland, Oregon, on or about June 17, 1904, draw a check for four hundred dollars (\$400.00) on the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, in favor of Charles Barenstecher in words and figures as follows, to wit:

No.

PORTLAND, OREGON, *June 17, 1904.*

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

Pay to Chas. Barenstecher or ~~bearer~~ order \$.....
 Four hundred..... $\frac{400}{100}$ Dollars.
 H. L. REES.

and did receive from the said Barenstecher four hundred dollars (\$400.00) in exchange for the same, the said Major *Rees* well knowing at the time that he drew the said check that there were no funds in the said bank to the personal credit of him, the said Major *Rees*. This at Portland, Oregon, on or about June 17th, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, did, at Portland, Oregon, on or about June 17th, 1904, draw a check for four hundred dollars (\$400.00) on the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, in favor of Charles Barenstecher in words and figures as follows, to wit:

No.

PORTLAND, OREGON, *June 17, 1904.*

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

Pay to Chas. Barenstecher or ~~bearer~~ order \$.....
 Four hundred..... $\frac{400}{100}$ Dollars.
 H. L. REES.

well knowing that there were no funds in the said bank to his, the said Major *Rees*', personal credit, did receive from the said Barenstecher four hundred dollars (\$400.00) in exchange for the said check, and having become thus indebted to the said Barenstecher for the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400.00), has, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service, failed to pay and continues still to owe the said debt at the date of these charges, October 12th, 1904."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows :

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 9th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 15th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 16th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 18th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 19th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 20th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 21st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 22d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 23d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 24th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 25th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 26th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Charge III.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.*Charge I.*

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, inserting the word
 'about' just after the word 'but,' and of the inserted word
 guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty, inserting the word
 'about' just after the word 'but,' and of the inserted word
 guilty."
 Of the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty, inserting the word
 'about' just after the word 'but,' and of the inserted word
 guilty."
 Of the 16th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 17th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 18th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 19th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 20th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 21st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 22d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 23d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 24th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words and figures 'February 29, 1904,' substituting therefor the words and figures 'March 31, 1904;' of the excepted words and figures not guilty; of the substituted words and figures guilty."

Of the 25th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 26th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge III.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words and figures 'one hundred dollars (\$100.00),' substituting therefor the words and figures 'one hundred and ten dollars (\$110.00);' of the excepted words and figures not guilty; of the substituted words and figures guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, United States Army, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, United States Army, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

WHITE HOUSE, *January 11th, 1905.*

In the foregoing case of Major *Harry L. Rees*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, the sentence is confirmed and will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

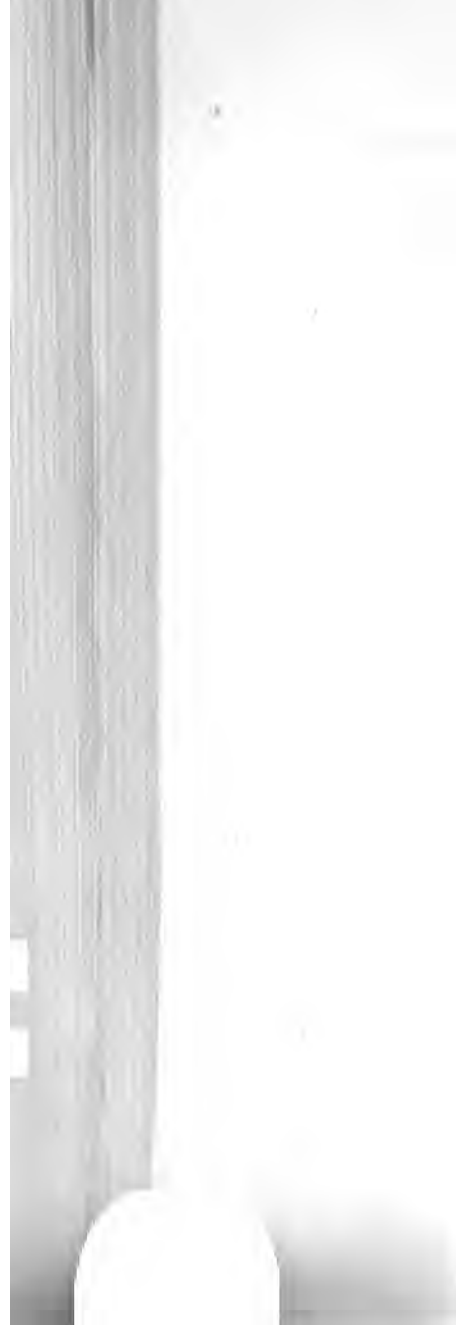
Major *Rees* ceases to be an officer of the Army from
January 15, 1905. [963256 M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:.

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 8. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 14, 1905.

I.—The 1st Battalion, Philippine Scouts, will be relieved from duty at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, Missouri, on February 15, 1905, on which date the battalion will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, for temporary station pending opportunity for its return to the Philippine Islands.

The commanding general, Northern Division, is charged with the execution of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of command by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [963788, M. S. O.]

II.—The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, December 31, 1904.

* * * * *

The provisions of the previous orders of this Department relaxing the requirements as to the rendition of accounts of disbursing officers of the War Department for expenses pertaining to the military establishment are hereby extended to December 31, 1905.

L. M. SHAW,
Secretary.

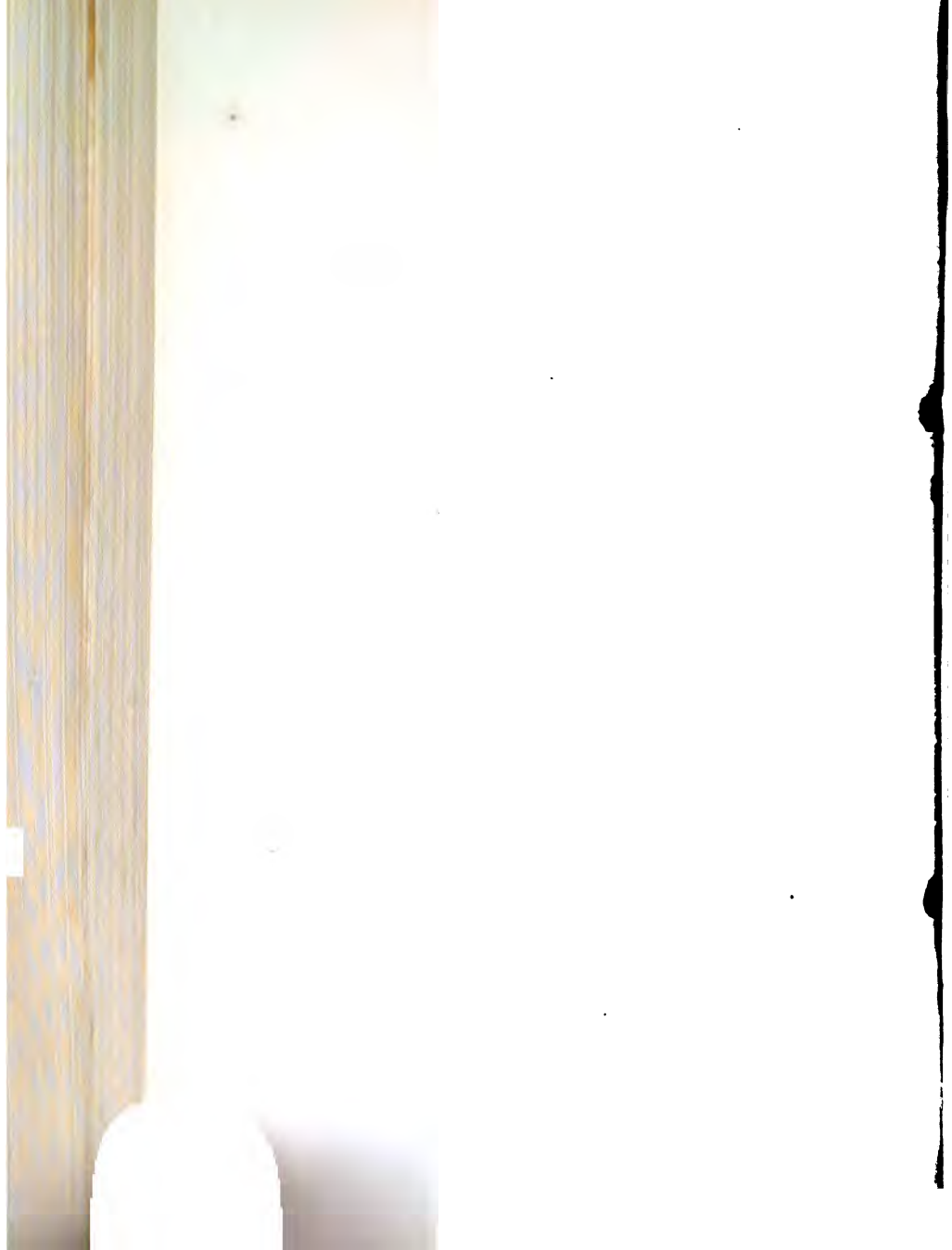
[960180, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 9. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 19, 1905.

I.—Under the provisions of General Orders, No. 63, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, April 28, 1903, an examination for the position of master electrician will be held March 1, 1905. Application accompanied by the necessary certificate will be forwarded in time to reach the commandant, School of Submarine Defense, on or before February 15, 1905.

[903397, M. S. O.]

II.—The provision of General Orders, No. 187, War Department, December 13, 1904, so far as it relates to the reduced prices at which serviceable cotton khaki clothing will be issued, is extended to cover the issues in the United States until the surplus old pattern cotton khaki clothing is exhausted.

[905103, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 10.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *January 24, 1905.*

I.—The military reservation on the Savannah River near Savannah, Georgia, known as Fort Oglethorpe, being no longer garrisoned nor of further use in connection with the defenses of the harbor of Savannah, its official designation as Fort Oglethorpe will be discontinued.

The reservation will remain under the control of the War Department, but will be under the supervision of the Engineer Department. [961674, M. S. O.]

II.—The "Consolidated statement of armament mounted on serviceable carriages and platforms," required by the following letter of instructions to department commanders, dated January 18, 1898, from the Headquarters of the Army, will hereafter be discontinued:

Referring to the monthly report of troops, means of transportation, arms, ammunition, etc., from your department, the major general commanding desires that post commanders where there is artillery armament be directed to prepare, monthly, a statement setting forth the number and kind of guns at the post and the amount of ammunition on hand for each gun. These statements to be consolidated at department headquarters and to be forwarded direct to the assistant adjutant general at Headquarters of the Army.

[94112, M. S. O.]

III.—The headquarters and two battalions of the 16th Infantry will be relieved from duty on the grounds of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, Missouri, to take effect January 27, 1905, and will return to their proper station, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

The commanding generals of the Northern and Atlantic Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement, and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [967582, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 11. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *January 27, 1905.*

The accompanying tables, exhibiting the names of marksmen transferred to the classes of "distinguished marksmen" and "distinguished pistol shots" for the year 1904, are published for the information of the Army, and appropriate badges will be issued as prescribed by paragraph 898, Firing Regulations for Small Arms, 1904. [968411, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

TABLE I.—Names, etc., of marksmen transferred to the distinguished marksmen's class for the year 1904.

(Abbreviations: G. M., gold medal; S. M., silver medal; B. M., bronze medal.)

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Year.	Department team.			Division team.			Army team.				
				Dept.	No.	Score.	Prize.	Division.	No.	Score.	Prize.	No.	Score.	Prize.
Agostini, Francisco	Sergeant	B P. R.	1903	East	9	767	B. M.	Atlantic	2	844	G. M.	7	804	S. M.
Barker, Berkley E.	Sergeant	D 3d Cav.	1903	Dakota	4	655	B. M.	Northern	15	680	B. M.	3	816	G. M.
Carter, Jesse McI	Q. M. sergt	D 3d Cav.	1901	Texas	4	531	S. M.							
	2d lieut	3d Cav.	1892	Texas	5	532	B. M.							
	2d lieut	3d Cav.	1892	Luzon	6	734	B. M.							
	Captain	14th Cav.	1904	Missouri	1	767	G. M.	Northern	1	830	G. M.	2	829	G. M.
Cavanaugh, Harry LaT	Captain	10th Cav.	1903	California	11	644	B. M.	Pacific	10	719	B. M.	5	809	S. M.
Clapham, John F	Captain	10th Cav.	1903	Columbia	2	742	S. M.	Pacific	3	660	B. M.	9	702	S. M.
Cole, Casper W	1st lieut	9th Cav.	1903	Missouri	3	760	S. M.	Northern	2	755	G. M.	4	816	G. M.
Cole, Casper W	1st lieut	8th Cav.	1903	Columbia	10	506	B. M.	S. Western	4	743	B. M.			
Donaldson, Thos. Q. Jr	Captain	H 14th Inf.	1900	Dakota	5	559	B. M.	Northern	9	718	B. M.	8	789	S. M.
Foerster, Lewis	Corporal	K 4th Cav.	1894	Missouri	5	739	B. M.	Atlantic	2	754	S. M.	1	751	G. M.
	Corporal	4th Cav.	1894	East	4	694	S. M.							
	1st lieut	5th Cav.	1904	Missouri	8	576	B. M.							
Hay, William H	Captain	10th Cav.	1903	California	3	498	S. M.							
	1st lieut	10th Cav.	1903	California	1	831	G. M.							
Kelly, Rufus S	Captain	10th Cav.	1904											
	Sergeant	E 7th Cav.	1903											
Lassaigne, Armand I	Sergeant	E 7th Cav.	1904											
	2d lieut	14th Inf.	1892											
	1st lieut	14th Inf.	1904											
	Captain	14th Inf.	1904											

TABLE II.—*Distinguished pistol shots, United States Army, for 1904.*

(Abbreviations: G. M., gold medal; S. M., silver medal; B. M., bronze medal.)

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Year.	Department team.			Division team.			Army team.				
				Dept.	No.	Score.	Prize.	Division.	No.	Score.	Prize.	No.	Score.	Prize.
Bohne, Eugene	L. corporal	C 8th Cav	1901	Dakota	5	53.8	B. M.	S. Western	5	268	B. M.	6	275	S. M.
Falk, Ernest A.	1st sergt.	15th Field Art.	1904											
	Corporal	C 8th Cav	1894	Dakota	7	61.7	B. M.							
Graham, Frank L.	Corporal	C 8th Cav	1903	Missouri	12	255	B. M.	S. Western	3	270	S. M.			
	Sergeant	C 8th Cav	1904											
	Captain	P. R. P. R.	1903	East.	10	263	B. M.	Atlantic	1	278	G. M.	1	277	G. M.
	Captain	P. R. P. R.	1904											
Jones, Nathan	Private	L 9th Cav	1903	Columbia	1	274	G. M.	Pacific	3	271	B. M.	5	286	S. M.
McNair, Charles H.	Corporal	G 4th Cav	1903											
	Sergeant	G 4th Cav	1904	Missouri	2	267	S. M.	Northern	2	275	G. M.	2	278	G. M.
Olsen, Frank C.	Q. M. sergt.	H 2d Cav	1903	East.	1	277	G. M.					12	287	S. M.
				(Luzon)										
	Q. M. sergt.	H 2d Cav	1904	(Mindanao)	9	268	B. M.							
				(Visayas)										

GENERAL ORDERS,)
No. 12. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 28, 1905.

The following is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States, by order dated January 19, 1905, pursuant to section 12 of the act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, entitled "An act temporarily to provide for the administration of the affairs of civil government in the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes" (32 Stat. L., 691), reserved for military purposes, subject to private rights, all public lands at Camp Marahui, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, included within boundaries described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point marked "No. 1" on a map of said lands marked "Map of Camp Marahui U. S. Military Reservation, Mindanao, P. I. Surveyed by Lieut. Lewis M. Adams, Corps of Engineers. Scale 1:4800," and also marked "Office Engineer Officer, Philippines Division, Manila, P. I., November, 1904"—said point being on the shore line of Lake Lanao, near the mouth of the Agus River, and marked by a stone monument; thence north 52° 04' east, a distance of 5,565 feet to station 2, a stone monument; thence north 13° 22' east, a distance of 2,462 feet to station 3, a stone monument; thence north 67° 38' west, a distance of 5,880 feet to station 4, a stone monument near the east bank of the Agus River; thence due west a distance of 9,094 feet to station 5, a stone monument; thence due south a distance of 8,785 feet to station 6, a stone monument; thence north 85° 45' east, a distance of 8,046 feet to station 7, a stone monument on the shore line of Lake Lanao; thence along said shore line at low-water mark and crossing the mouth of the Agus River to the point of beginning; containing, approximately, 2,388 acres. The bearings are magnetic.

[962568, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 18. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 2, 1906.

The following is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

I.—The United States having acquired from John H. Smith, bachelor, of the city of Prescott, Arizona Territory, and from the city of Prescott, Yavapai County, Arizona Territory, by deed dated the eighth day of December, A. D. 1904, recorded in the land records of said county in Book 69 of Deeds, pages 439-441, for use in connection with the military reservation (Whipple Barracks, Arizona Territory, target range) reserved by Executive Order, dated August 18, 1904 (General Orders, No. 154, War Department, September 16, 1904), the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section two (2), township fourteen (14) north, range two (2) west, Gila and Salt River meridian, the same is hereby announced as an addition to said reservation. [963428, M. S. O.]

II.—Fort Stark, New Hampshire, having been turned over to the artillery, the same is hereby announced as a subpost of Fort Constitution, New Hampshire. [967033, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

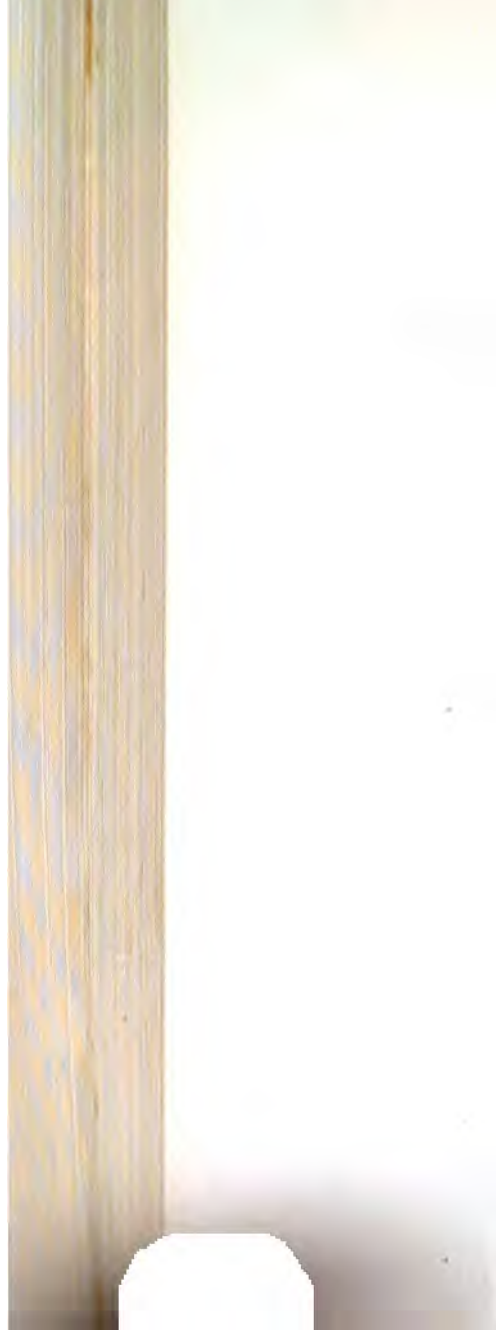
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 14.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 3, 1905.

The following instructions for packing and shipping surveying and other delicate instruments belonging to the Engineer Department will be strictly observed by all persons charged with the shipment of such instruments:

They should always be transported in the special cases provided for them. These cases are provided for carrying purposes and not for shipping and should therefore be inclosed in a box for shipment. Such instruments always come into rigid contact with some part of their special cases and a cushion of elastic material should be placed on all sides between the case and the shipping box to prevent the direct transmission of shocks to the instrument from rough or careless handling in transit. As an additional precaution against injury, particularly from loose parts, the instrument case should be filled with soft, dustless material.

PACKING BOXES.

Packing boxes should be made of light, sound lumber, securely and rigidly put together. Half-inch boards for the top, sides, and bottom and one-inch for the ends are generally sufficient for single instruments. For more than one instrument or for large instruments one-inch lumber should be used.

They should be made at least two inches and preferably four inches larger in all dimensions, inside measurements, than the instrument case, to provide a one or two inch space all around for a cushion of packing material.

Transits, levels, and other delicate instruments will be less liable to injury if the packing box is provided with a carrying strap or rope to facilitate gentle handling in transit.

PACKING MATERIAL.

Excelsior, straw, hay, cotton waste or any other material that produces or contains dust, chaff, lint, or litter will under no circumstances be used as packing material inside of instrument cases since the dust, etc., gets into the crevices, telescopes, and delicate parts of the instrument and necessitates a thorough

and minute cleaning of the instrument before it can be used. Such materials may be used for packing the instrument case in the shipping box, but when so used the instrument case should have a double wrapping of paper to prevent dust entering the case through cracks around the door or lid.

For packing an instrument in its case there should be used only soft, tough tissue paper, or similar material, crumpled in the hand into pads and stuffed gently around the instrument so as to form a complete, firm cushion on all sides, great care being taken to avoid injury to delicate parts.

GENERAL RULES.

Before packing the instrument the case will be carefully examined to determine whether it is in sufficiently good condition for the safe transportation of the instrument, particular attention being given to the door or lid, the receptacles for detached parts, and the base or seat upon which the instrument rests. When repairs are required to the case they will, if possible, be made before shipment to the extent necessary for the safe transportation of the instrument, and when such repairs are impracticable the following precautions will be taken: Loose or broken doors or lids will be firmly secured in place by lashing, but without the use of tacks, nails, or screws. Detached parts for which the receptacles are broken or for which none is provided will be so secured in the case as to absolutely forbid their getting loose, and when this can not be done with certainty they will be shipped separately. If the seat upon which the instrument rests and that part of the lid that rests upon the instrument have lost any of their padding, it will be replaced by a thin pad of soft cloth or blotting paper secured so as to remain in position in transit.

Place the instrument in the case in such manner that it rests in the seat provided for it, that the lid or door closes without difficulty, and that the instrument touches the case or lid only at such points as are provided for supporting or steadying it. Place the detached parts in their receptacles and adjust the stops to hold them securely in place. Stuff the case with soft tissue paper, as above described, and close and lock it, attaching the key to the handle, strap, or other fixture on the case. Wrap separately in two thicknesses of paper to prevent dust, etc., entering the case and pack with hay, excelsior, or any other elastic material, in a suitable box.

THEODOLITES AND TRANSITS.

Theodolites and transits, especially such as have vertical limbs (arcs or circles), are by reason of their construction most difficult to pack and most liable to injury in transit, particularly if not carefully packed. Especial care will therefore be exercised in preparing them for shipment, following these rules:

Examine the baseboard and its attached screw plate to see that they are in good order and will hold the instrument securely in place. Screw the instrument firmly upon the screw plate, lift the compass needle from its pivot, adjust leveling screws to approximate evenness, place in case and shift the instrument until it fits easily and the door can be closed without making contact between the instrument and the case at any point excepting where such contact is intended. Screw up all clamp screws so as to hold all parts of the instrument firmly in position, using judgment and avoiding force. Place the detached parts in their receptacles, seeing that none is omitted, and secure them carefully. Much damage frequently results from a plumb bob or other accessory becoming loose in the case in transit. Crumple soft paper into pads and stuff them gently all around the instrument, taking care not to wrench, twist, or break any of the delicate attachments. Construct thus a perfect cushion, filling the case and permitting the door to close with light pressure. Close the door, secure and lock it, and attach the key to the outside of the case.

TRIPODS.

Tripods should be boxed or crated, as they are liable to damage in transit unless protected by a rigid case. The box or crate must be long enough to provide for a pad of packing material at each end for the protection of the head and shoes. The tripod cap should be firmly screwed in place, and if it is missing the screw threads should be fully protected by other means.

SHIPPING DIRECTIONS.

Packages should be marked "Delicate Instruments, Handle with Care," and shipments should be made by express and not by ordinary freight.

Shipments of instruments from one military post or station to another or between posts and divisions or department head-

quarters, or between military headquarters or posts and engineer depots, will be turned over to the Quartermaster's Department with request for transportation by express.

Shipments made from engineer depots to officers who have charge of public works and who have funds at their disposal, or from such officers to engineer depots, will be made on Engineer Department bill of lading (Forms 34 and 34a) at the charge of the appropriations for such works. [930423, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 15. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 4, 1905.

By direction of the President, the allowance and distribution of public animals for light and horse batteries of field artillery are announced as follows, and paragraph 4, General Orders, No. 153, War Department, September 14, 1904, is amended accordingly:—

For each light field battery 112 horses, distributed as follows:

	Saddle horses.		Draught horses.
1 1st sergeant.....	1	4 guns.....	24
1 quartermaster sergeant.....	1	8 caissons.....	48
1 stable sergeant.....	1	1 battery wagon and forge.....	6
6 sergeants.....	6	1 artillery store wagon.....	6
2 musicians.....	2	2 escort (kit) wagons.....	8
1 guidon (private).....	1		—
4 artificers.....	4		92
Spare horses.....	4		
	—		
	30		

For each horse battery 168 horses, distributed as follows:

	Saddle horses.		Draught horses.
1 1st sergeant.....	1	4 guns.....	24
1 quartermaster sergeant.....	1	8 caissons.....	48
1 stable sergeant.....	1	1 battery wagon and forge.....	6
6 sergeants.....	6	1 artillery store wagon.....	6
2 musicians.....	2	2 escort (kit) wagons.....	8
1 guidon (private).....	1		—
4 artificers.....	4		92
12 corporals.....	12		
2 cooks.....	2		
Cannoneers.....	42		
Spare horses.....	4		
	—		
	76		

[972304, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 16.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 6, 1905.

I. Paragraphs II and III, General Orders, No. 36, War Department, October 13, 1903, are hereby revoked.

II. The allowance of officers who may be transferred to the unassigned list for artillery district staff duty under paragraph 299, Army Regulations, 1904, will until further orders be as follows:

	Captains.	Lieutenants.
District of Portland.....	2	1
District of Boston.....	2	1
District of Narragansett.....	2	
District of New London.....	2	
Eastern District of New York.....	2	1
Southern District of New York.....	3	
District of the Delaware.....	1	1
District of Baltimore.....	1	1
District of the Potomac.....	1	1
District of the Chesapeake.....	2	
District of Charleston.....	1	1
District of Savannah.....	1	1
District of Key West.....	1	1
District of Pensacola.....	1	1
District of New Orleans.....		1
District of San Francisco.....	3	1
District of the Columbia.....	1	1
District of Puget Sound.....	2	1
	28	14

Lieutenants may be detailed in place of captains provided the total number of officers assigned to artillery district staff duty is not exceeded in any district. In any district in which a torpedo company is stationed the commanding officer of such company is available, under the provisions of paragraph 1, General Orders, No. 109, War Department, June 20, 1904, for detail as artillery engineer of the district, and if he be so detailed he is an authorized staff officer within the meaning of paragraph 1299, Army Regulations, and the allowance of officers who may be placed on the unassigned list for staff duty in such district shall be reduced by one captain.

The duties of artillery district quartermaster being confined to those prescribed in General Orders, No. 171, War Department, November 8, 1904, and to accountability for property

pertaining to artillery district headquarters, these duties will be performed by the same officer who is appointed quartermaster of the headquarters post of the district.

District staff officers will perform the corresponding staff duties of the post at which they are stationed, but as far as possible all other post staff duties will be performed by lieutenants assigned to companies.

III. The staff officers of the artillery subpost, Fort Riley, Kansas, will be staff officers of the Provisional Field Artillery Regiment established by paragraph 6, General Orders, No. 152, War Department, September 14, 1904.

IV. The only artillery district staff officers who will receive mounted pay, under paragraph 1299, Army Regulations, 1904, are:

Where there is authorized in this order—

One staff officer—the adjutant.

Two staff officers—the adjutant and the artillery engineer.

Three staff officers—the adjutant, the artillery engineer, and the ordnance officer.

Four staff officers—the adjutant, the artillery engineer, the ordnance officer, and the quartermaster.

[967368, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 17. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 7, 1905.

Before a general court-martial which convened at West Point, New York, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 2, January 8, 1905, United States Military Academy, West Point, New York, and of which Captain PALMER E. PIERCE, 13th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant HORTON W. STICKLE, Corps of Engineers, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, 8d Class, United States Military Academy.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, contrary to paragraph 132, Regulations for the United States Military Academy, in violation of the 62nd Article of War.”

Specification—“In that he, Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, Third Class, United States Military Academy, did cause intoxicating liquor to be brought within the cadet limits. This at West Point, New York, on or about December 29th, 1904.”

CHARGE II.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, contrary to paragraph 164, Regulations for the United States Military Academy, in violation of the 62nd Article of War.”

Specification—“In that he, Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, Third Class, United States Military Academy, did arrange with a waiter in the cadet mess to procure for him, Cadet *Santschi*, intoxicating liquor. This at West Point, New York, on or about December 28, 1904.”

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the *Specification*, “Not guilty.”
To the CHARGE, “Not guilty.”

Charge II.

To the *Specification*, “Not guilty.”
To the CHARGE, “Not guilty.”

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the *Specification*, “Guilty.”
Of the CHARGE, “Guilty.”

Charge II.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
Of the *Charge*, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, 8d Class, United States Military Academy, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, 8d Class, United States Military Academy, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 4, 1905.

The sentence in the case of Cadet Corporal *Eugene Santschi, jr.*, third class, U. S. Military Academy, is approved. Upon the recommendation of the superintendent, which is concurred in by the Chief of Staff and by the Secretary of War, the sentence is commuted to a revocation of Cadet *Santschi's* appointment as a corporal in the Corps of Cadets. Cadet *Santschi* will also be confined to the limits assigned to cadets undergoing punishment until July 1, 1905, and will serve one punishment tour on Wednesday and Saturday of each week during that period.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

[973062, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 18. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 8, 1905.

I. The clothing money allowance established by General Orders, No. 103, War Department, June 15, 1904, as amended by General Orders, No. 122, War Department, July 18, 1904, is increased for all enlisted men who, having drawn in the current enlistment the old pattern uniform, have been required since June 30, 1904, or may hereafter be required in the same enlistment, to draw the new pattern olive drab uniform, by the following amounts:

In case of soldiers who received the allowance for the first six months of enlistment as fixed by General Orders, No. 103, War Department, 1904, as amended by General Orders, No. 122, War Department, 1904, \$13.73.

In case of soldiers who received the allowance for the first six months of their enlistments under clothing orders in force prior to General Orders, No. 103, War Department, 1904, \$25.39.

Credit for the additional amounts thus authorized will be given on the first settlement date after drawing the new uniform, or on discharge if discharged prior to the next settlement date.

The extra clothing allowance herein provided for affects no men in organizations not fully uniformed in the olive drab uniform, nor does it affect any soldier who made the change of uniform in a prior enlistment.

II. Under approval by the Secretary of War of date February 1, 1905, campaign hats, old pattern, will on and after said date be issued to enlisted men serving in the Philippine Islands at 83 cents each, and General Orders, No. 103, War Department, June 15, 1904, is amended accordingly.

The new pattern service hat will hereafter be issued, except in the Philippine Islands, and charged at the rate of \$2.72 for each hat. Enlisted men drawing them between now and the date of issue of the next clothing price schedule will be given an increased clothing allowance of \$1.16 for each hat so drawn, the number, except under exceptional circumstances, however, not to exceed one hat during the above-mentioned period for each enlisted man. [973541, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 19. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 8, 1905.*

The 1st Battalion, Philippine Scouts, will proceed from Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to this city, in order to take part in the parade on the occasion of the inauguration of the President of the United States, March 4, proximo, and upon the completion of this duty will return to Fort Thomas for temporary station.

The command should reach Washington, March 2, and for quarters and subsistence while here will be reported to the commanding officer, Fort Myer, Virginia.

The commanding generals of the Northern and Atlantic Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement, and will promptly report by telegraph hours of departure and arrival and strength of command to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [973760, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 20. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 9, 1905.

The following Executive Order is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

THE WHITE HOUSE, January 31st, 1905.

A board to consist of the Secretary of War and the officers hereinafter named is appointed to revise the Report of the Endicott Board which was appointed under the provisions of an act of Congress, approved March 3, 1885, to "examine and report at what ports fortifications, or other defenses are most urgently required, character and kind of defenses best adapted for each, with reference to armament," and "the utilization of torpedoes, mines, or other defensive appliances," with further instructions to extend its examinations so as to include estimates and recommendations relative to defenses of the insular possessions.

The report of the Endicott Board, submitted nineteen years ago was very carefully considered by its distinguished members. It enunciated sound military principles and recommended the best application of these principles with the conditions then existing. It fully deserved the generous support it has received from Congress. Nearly two-thirds of the land armament recommended by the Board has been installed or provided for, but since the date of the Report so many conditions then existing have been materially modified, and the engines or implements of war have been so greatly improved, and others, untried or unknown, of undoubted value developed, giving a greater advantage to the defense, that it is confidently believed our harbor defense can be completed effectively and satisfactorily with a much less expenditure of money than has been heretofore estimated. With this object in view the Board will recommend the armament fixed and floating, mobile torpedoes, submarine mines and all other defensive appliances that may be necessary to complete the harbor defense with the most economical and advantageous expenditure of money.

The Board will also recommend the order in which the proposed defense shall be completed, so that all the elements of harbor defense may be properly and effectively coordinated.

Detail for the Board:

Hon. WILLIAM H. TAFT, Secretary of War, President of the Board.
Lieut. Genl. Adna R. Chaffee, Chief of Staff.
Major Genl. George L. Gillespie, Asst. Chief of Staff.
Brig. Genl. Adolphus W. Greely, Chief Signal Officer.
Brig. Genl. William Crozier, Chief of Ordnance.
Brig. Genl. John P. Story, Chief of Artillery, General Staff.
Brig. Genl. Alexander Mackenzie, Chief of Engineers.
Captain Charles M. Thomas, U. S. Navy.
Captain Charles H. Sperry, U. S. Navy.
Major George W. Goethals, General Staff, will act as Secretary of the Board.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

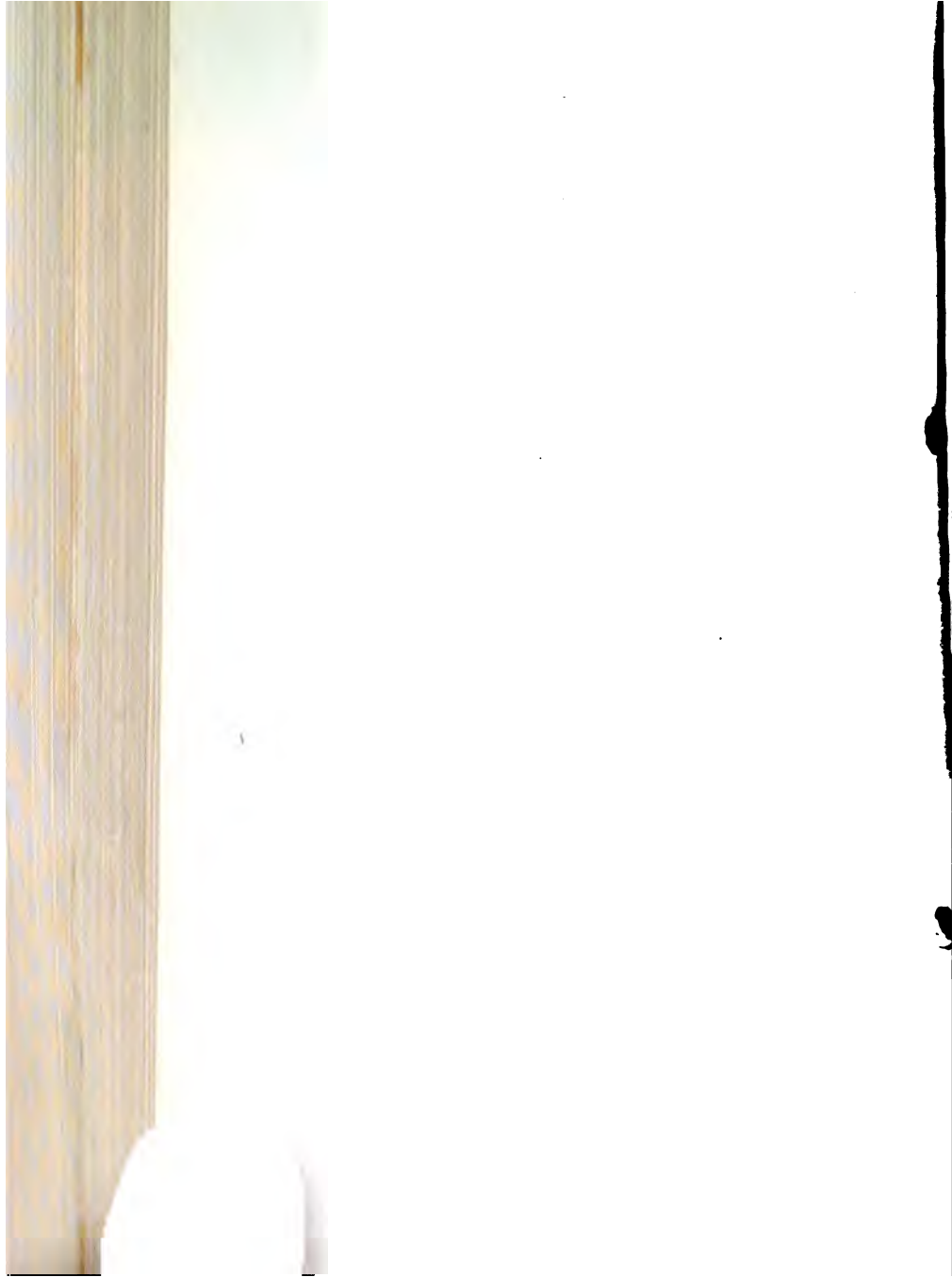
[974061. M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 21.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 9, 1905.*

The appended corrected table is substituted for Table IV on page 5 of General Orders, No. 172, War Department, November 10, 1904, publishing the scores made by the members of the United States Army Infantry Team in the National Rifle Match held at Fort Riley, Kansas, August 22-24, 1904.

[971719, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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TABLE IV.—U. S. ARMY, INFANTRY.

NAME	RANK.	COM- PANY.	REGIMENT.	SLOW FIRE.		RAPID FIRE.		SKIRMISH FIRE.			(Grand aggregate.
				1st day.	3d day.	1st day.	3d day.	3d day.			
								1st run, score.	2d run, score.	Aggregate.	
Richard Lunsford.....	Qm. sergt.	H	2d	78	67	82	227	79	45	124	351
Frank L. Graham.....	Captain		P. R. P. R.	86	86	88	240	45	70	115	375
Benjamin A. Poore.....	do		6th	85	75	83	243	64	65	129	372
Fred L. Munson.....	do		9th	87	70	83	240	67	93	160	400
John F. Clapham.....	2d lieut.		15th	83	77	82	242	29	90	119	361
Donald G. Baird.....	Artificer	H	26th	81	60	74	215	18	74	92	307
Francisco Agostini.....	1st sergt.	B	P. R. P. R.	83	70	88	241	74	59	133	374
George Sayer.....	do	A	15th	83	52	78	213	55	64	119	332
Robert E. L. Cox.....	Private	E	10th	83	74	83	240	44	84	128	368
George Smith.....	Sergeant	D	2d	77	72	94	243	43	38	81	324
Jeff D. Gallman.....	1st sergt.	M	9th	80	74	87	241	60	75	135	376
Preston Savage.....	Corporal	A	26th	68	62	71	201	35	74	109	310
											4,250

Third prize—Soldier of Marathon, \$200 cash, and medal to each member of team.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 22. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 13, 1905.*

The following-named officer is honorably mentioned in orders to the Army as having distinguished himself by specially meritorious conduct in service under the circumstances and at the time and place mentioned herein:

January 8, 1901, Captain *James D. Taylor, jr.*, 18th United States Infantry, for discretion and excellent judgment shown by him in obtaining possession of the correspondence which made known the whereabouts of the insurgent chieftain, Aguinaldo, thus making possible the expedition resulting in his capture; this, while 1st lieutenant, 24th United States Infantry, commanding the station of Pantabangan, Nueva Ecija, Philippine Islands. [909639, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, {
No. 28. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 14, 1906.

The following instructions for the inspection and care of the engineering features of garrisoned coast fortifications are published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

1. No increase of load upon any fortification electric plant beyond that contemplated at the time of installation, or transfer, or any change in the electrical connections at the switch-board or distributing panels shall be made without the approval of the Chief of Engineers. Should additions to load or changes in connections be desired, a statement of the reasons therefor, accompanied by detailed information relative thereto, will be forwarded by the commanding officer of the artillery district to the Chief of Engineers through the district engineer officer.

The district engineer officer will make an inspection of the engineering features of each garrisoned fort within his district during the last ten days of the second month of each quarter. He will give timely notice of the dates of his intended visit to the commanding officer of the artillery district, who, with the artillery engineer of the district, will accompany him in his visit of inspection, in order that they may present their views with reference to any defects in engineer appliances and electrical equipment. Each post commander will accompany the inspectors during the inspection of his post. Defects of a minor character which pertain to the work of the Engineer Department and are plainly the result of a normal and proper use of the emplacements and engineer appliances will be repaired at once by the district engineer officer, if the balances in his hands from the general allotment for preservation and repair of fortifications are sufficient. Defects which indicate imperfections in the installation of the engineer appliances or electrical equipment, or lack of care in operating, will be jointly investigated by the district engineer officer, the commanding officer of the artillery district, and the district artillery engineer. The district engineer officer will forward at the earliest practicable date a report of the inspection to the Chief of Engineers for such further action as he may deem necessary in the premises and a copy of the report will be

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furnished at the same time to the commanding officer of the artillery district. Should a post commander become aware at any time, other than at a regular quarterly inspection, that a serious defect has developed in the engineering appliances or electrical equipment it will be his duty to notify the artillery district commander who will inform the district engineer officer at once in order that the correction may be made, if possible, before the next regular quarterly inspection, and upon the receipt of such notification the district engineer officer will make an investigation with the least practicable delay and submit a special report thereon to the Chief of Engineers.

2. The tour of the commanding officer of the artillery district and his engineer officer made in compliance with this order will be reckoned as one of the visits required by General Orders, No. 27, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, March 11, 1903.

3. At those harbors where there are no artillery district headquarters, the duties devolved in this order upon the commanding officer of the artillery district and the district artillery engineer will be performed respectively by the post commander and the post artillery engineer.

[967627, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS,)

WAR DEPARTMENT.

No. 24. }

WASHINGTON, February 14, 1905.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Circular, No. 10, War Department, March 7, 1904, and so much of General Orders, No. 89, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, June 22, 1903, as relates to the allowance of articles furnished by the Engineer Department, are hereby revoked.

2. The following allowances of reconnaissance instruments to be issued by the Engineer Department are authorized. These allowances are intended to provide for the needs of the different organizations when in the field and for instruction purposes in post and garrison schools:

Each company of infantry, troop of cavalry, battery of field artillery, and company of coast artillery—

- 1 sketching case. 3
- 1 prismatic compass. 2
- 1 box compass. .
- 2 rectangular protractors. 5
- 1 hand level, or clinometer. 4
- 1 pace tally. 6
- 1 note book (field).
- 1 reconnaissance pad.

and, in addition to the above, to each company of infantry one pedometer, and to each battery of field artillery two odometers. The foregoing articles will be issued to the commanding officer of the organization, who shall receipt for and be accountable to the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, for the property.

3. In addition to the articles accounted for by the various organizations, there is authorized for each post garrisoned by infantry, cavalry, or field artillery the following articles, to be accounted for by the post engineer officer:

- 1 set drawing instruments.
- 1 drawing board.
- 1 semi-circular protractor.
- 1 T square.
- 1 straight edge.
- 2 triangles.
- 1 triangular scale.

- 1 metallic tape, 50 feet.
- 1 chain, 100 feet, with pins.
- 2 sketching cases.
- 2 hand levels, or clinometers.
- 1 prismatic compass.
- 1 box compass.
- 2 rectangular protractors.
- 2 pace tallies.
- 2 note books (field).
- 2 reconnaissance pads.

4. Note books and reconnaissance pads for use in connection with prismatic and box compasses will be issued by the Engineer Department, but all paper, including drawing paper and that required for the sketching cases, tracing cloth, inks, pencils, erasers, etc., will be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

5. Transits and Wye levels will not hereafter be issued to posts garrisoned by infantry, cavalry, or field artillery, except as noted in paragraph 9. A reasonable supply of these instruments will be maintained by the engineer officer of each military division, from whom they can be obtained by the post engineer officer on memorandum receipt when actual survey work renders their use necessary. The use of such instruments for instruction purposes in post and garrison schools is not contemplated.

6. Blank forms of requisition (Form 39) and blank forms of property return (Form 13) will be supplied by the Chief of Engineers as needed.

7. Returns will be rendered regularly every six months (March 31 and September 30) within twenty days after the expiration of each period. In the Philippine Islands engineer property returns will be transmitted through the engineer officer of the division; in all other cases returns should be mailed direct to the Chief of Engineers.

8. Requisitions for reconnaissance instruments after approval by the post commander will be sent to the post engineer officer and by him to the engineer officer of the division. The post and division engineer officers will issue such of the articles called for as they may have on hand available for issue, provided the number of serviceable articles stated as on hand, plus the number called for, does not exceed the

authorized allowance. The number of articles so issued will be noted on the requisition and the latter forwarded to the Chief of Engineers. At seacoast artillery posts the requisitions will be forwarded to the engineer officer of the division through the district artillery engineer, who is authorized to make issues in the manner prescribed above for post engineer officers.

9. The restrictions in paragraph 5 with reference to the issue of transits and Wye levels will not be held to apply to posts in the Philippine Islands, where the articles authorized for each post may be increased or diminished as the commanding general of the Philippines Division may direct.

10. Articles of engineer property now at posts garrisoned by cavalry, infantry, or field artillery, and not included in the above allowances, should, if not actually needed, be reported to the Chief of Engineers with a view to their shipment to the nearest engineer depot.

11. Except as authorized in General Orders, No. 109, War Department, June 20, 1904, and in paragraph 5 herein, the issue of engineer property on memorandum receipt is forbidden, and the filing of such a receipt with the property return will not relieve the accountable officer.

12. Limited appropriations make it impossible to equip the entire Army at the present time as above outlined, but requisitions will be filled as far as practicable.

[927953, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 25. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 15, 1905.*

Paragraphs 189, 883, 886, and 1409, Army Regulations, are amended to read as follows:

189. The duties of the division commander pertain to the higher functions of command. He originates, directs, or approves military operations within his several departments, and in case of emergency may transfer troops from one to another requiring reinforcements. He has supervision over all essentially military matters within his division not reserved to other authority, particularly the inspection of troops in order to see that they are at all times properly supplied, equipped, instructed, disciplined, and prepared for active service; designates the time for target practice in his several departments, examines and consolidates reports of the same, and issues the necessary orders for holding target competitions within his division, and superintends, under direction of the War Department, garrison schools. Officers of the Army, active and retired, detailed by the War Department to duty at colleges, universities, and other institutions of learning within the limits of a division, will forward the prescribed reports and returns through the division commander, and all inspections of the military departments of such colleges, universities, etc., required by War Department regulations and orders, will be made by inspectors designated by the division commander for that duty. He will have immediate charge of the inspections necessary to carry out, for all the organized militia belonging within the limits of his division, the provisions of section 14 of the militia act, approved January 21, 1903; and to assist in this duty, all officers of the Army, active or retired, on duty with the organized militia within the limits of his division, will report to him and will send through him their reports of inspections under said section 14. Reports and returns of the organized militia which may be required under the provisions of section 12 of the act of January 21, 1903, will be referred by the War Department to the division commanders for their information, to be returned to the War Department for file.

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From his own inspections and those of his inspectors the division commander will from time to time convey to the Chief of Staff such information of affairs in the division as may be useful to the War Department.

883. All general officers will make a monthly report to The Military Secretary of the Army of their stations, duties, etc., and those not reported on division, department, or other returns, will also report the names of all aids-de-camp attached to their staffs.

886. An officer of a staff corps or department, or an officer serving therein by detail, will report to The Military Secretary of the Army and to the head of his corps or department on the last day of every month, giving his address, a statement of the duties on which he has been employed during the month, the date of his assignment thereto, and the authority by which so assigned. Every officer on the retired list will, unless specially exempted, report his address to The Military Secretary of the Army on the last day of every month and will also report promptly each change of address.

1409. A soldier retained in service beyond the term of enlistment on account of court-martial (except where dishonorable discharge is imposed) will be furnished final statements bearing actual date of discharge and cause of detention. A soldier in the hands of civil authorities awaiting trial should, at expiration of term of service, be furnished his discharge and final statements containing all necessary data for the paymaster, giving date and cause of arrest and remark "not entitled to pay or clothing since date of arrest unless acquitted or released without trial."

[976018, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

NOTE.—The last amendments of Army Regulations were made in General Orders, No. 189, War Department, December 15, 1904.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 26.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 17, 1906.*

I. Company C, 8th Infantry, at Fort Slocum, New York, and Company D, 8th Infantry, at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be relieved from duty at their respective stations March 15, 1906, and will proceed by rail to Columbus Barracks, Columbus, Ohio, and there take station.

The commanding generals of the Atlantic and Northern Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [975483, M. S. O.]

II. The third battalion of the 27th Infantry will be relieved from duty at Columbus Barracks on the arrival at that station of Companies C and D, 8th Infantry, and will proceed by rail to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and there take station.

The commanding general of the Department of the Lakes is charged with the execution of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [975483, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 27. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 17, 1905.

By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 78, War Department, April 29, 1904, as relates to additional strength, is amended to read as follows:

Additional strength: For 4 troops of cavalry, 2 corporals and 33 privates each, and 12 companies of infantry, 2 sergeants, 4 corporals, and 53 privates each, when stationed at the Infantry and Cavalry School and Staff College; for 12 troops of cavalry, 2 corporals and 18 privates each, when stationed at the School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery; for 4 troops of cavalry at Fort Myer, Virginia, 2 corporals and 18 privates each; for the 1st and 2d Regiments of Infantry, 1 sergeant to each company; for the 8th Regiment of Infantry, 1 corporal to each company; for the 15th Regiment of Cavalry, 1 corporal to each troop; for Troops A, B, C, D, E, and F, of the 1st Regiment of Cavalry, 1 corporal to each troop; for the 1st Battalion of Engineers (Companies A, B, C, and D), 1 sergeant to each company; for the company of infantry on duty as Legation Guard, Peking, China, 2 sergeants, 4 corporals, and 79 privates. Total, 1,299.

[975423. M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 28. }

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, *February 18, 1905.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 194, Department of the Lakes, November 14, 1904, and of which Lieutenant Colonel RICHARD T. YEATMAN, 27th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant JAMES M. KIMBROUGH, JR., 27th Infantry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Causing to be presented to the United States authorities for payment false and fraudulent claims against the United States, knowing such claims to be false and fraudulent, in violation of the 60th Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th Infantry, U. S. Army, having for value received transmitted his official pay account and claim for pay in full against the United States for the month of July, 1904, to the chief paymaster, Philippine Division, for payment when due to one C. S. Salmon, of Iloilo, Philippine Islands, thereby relinquishing all right, title and interest in the pay covered by the said account, did nevertheless present a second pay account and claim of the same nature and for the same amount and period to Colonel A. S. Towar, Chief Paymaster, Department of the Lakes, and receive pay thereon, he, the said Captain *David B. Mulliken*, well knowing at the time he presented such account and claim that it was false and fraudulent. This at Chicago, Illinois, on or about August 31st, 1904.”

Specification 2d—“In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th Infantry, U. S. Army, having, for value received, transmitted his official pay account and claim for pay in full against the United States for the month of August, 1904, to the chief paymaster, Philippine Division, for payment when due to one C. S. Salmon, of Iloilo, Philippine Islands, thereby relinquishing all right, title and interest in the pay covered by the said account, did nevertheless present a second pay account and claim of the same nature and for the same amount and period to Colonel A. S. Towar, Chief Paymaster, Department of the Lakes, and receive pay thereon, he, the said Captain *David B. Mulliken*, well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent. This at Chicago, Illinois, on or about August 31st, 1904.”

CHARGE II.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having for value received transmitted

his official pay account and claim for pay in full against the United States for the month of July, 1904, to the chief paymaster, Philippine Division, for payment when due to Mr. C. S. Salmon, Iloilo, P. I., which said account was made and executed by him in due manner and form, did nevertheless present a second pay account and claim of the same nature and form and for the same amount and period, to Col. A. S. Towar, Chief Paymaster, Department of the Lakes, and receive pay thereon, he, the said Captain *David B. Mulliken*, well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent. This at Chicago, Illinois, on or about August 31st, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th U. S. Infantry, having for value received transmitted his official pay account and claim for pay in full against the United States for the month of August, 1904, to the chief paymaster, Philippine Division, for payment when due to Mr. C. S. Salmon, Iloilo, P. I., which said account was made and executed by him in due manner and form, did nevertheless present a second pay account and claim of the same nature and form and for the same amount and period, to Col. A. S. Towar, Chief Paymaster, Department of the Lakes, and receive pay thereon, he, the said Captain *David B. Mulliken*, well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent. This at Chicago, Illinois, on or about August 31st, 1904."

ADDITIONAL CHARGE.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did sign and submit for the information of the War Department his personal efficiency report for the year ending June 30th, 1901, to become a part of his official record, in which he stated that he was single, whereas he was married to Regina Batismo, a native Filipina, prior to and at the date said report was rendered. This at or near Escalante, Occidental Negros, Philippine Islands, on or about August 2, 1901."

Specification 2d—"In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did sign and submit for the information of the War Department his personal efficiency report for the year ending June 30th, 1902, to become a part of his official record, in which he stated that he was single, whereas he was married to Regina Batismo, a native Filipina, prior to and at the date said report was rendered. This at or near Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, on or about July 8, 1902."

Specification 3d—"In that Captain *David B. Mulliken*, 27th U. S. Infantry, did sign and submit for the information of the War Department his personal efficiency report for the year ending June 30th, 1903, to become a part of his official record, in which he stated that he was single, whereas he was married to Regina Batismo, a native Filipina, prior to and at the date said report was rendered. This at or near Iloilo, Panay, Philippine Islands, on or about July 1st, 1903."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'for value received,' on the second line of the first specification; and the words 'well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent,' on the 10th, 11th and 12th lines of the first specification."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'for value received,' on the second line of the second specification; and the words 'well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent,' on the 10th, 11th and 12th lines of the second specification."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'for value received,' on the second line of the first specification, and the words 'well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent,' on the 10th, 11th and 12th lines of the 1st specification."

To the 2d *Specification*—"Guilty, except the words 'for value received,' on the second line of the second specification, and the words 'well knowing at the time he presented such second account and claim that it was false and fraudulent,' on the 10th, 11th and 12th lines of the second specification."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Additional Charge.

To the 1st and 2d *Specifications* the accused pleaded the statute of limitations in bar of trial.

To the 3d *Specification* and CHARGE the accused submitted a special plea in bar of trial to the effect that the copy of the alleged certificate of marriage is false, fraudulent and void, and otherwise informal, erroneous, and contrary to law; that the defendant could not have a fair trial because of not having any opportunity to disprove testimony of witnesses by official records in the Philippine Islands, and because of not being first permitted to have the validity of the alleged marriage contract determined by a civil court; and that one of the parties to the alleged marriage ceremony had been married

previously and had never been divorced, and that her husband was living at the time of the alleged marriage contract.

The plea to the first and second specification was sustained by the court, and the plea to the third specification and additional charge was overruled. The accused thereupon pleaded to the merits of the third specification and additional charge as follows:

To the 3d Specification, "Not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st Specification, "Guilty."

Of the 2d Specification, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st Specification, "Guilty."

Of the 2d Specification, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Additional Charge.

Of the 1st Specification, "Stricken out on plea in bar of trial under the statute of limitations."

Of the 2d Specification, "Stricken out on plea in bar of trial under the statute of limitations."

Of the 3d Specification, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Captain David B. Mulliken, 27th Infantry, "To be dismissed the service of the United States."

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of Captain David B. Mulliken, 27th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 15th, 1905.

In the foregoing case of Captain David B. Mulliken, 27th Infantry, U. S. Army, the sentence is confirmed and will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Captain Mulliken ceases to be an officer of the Army from February 18, 1905. [977033, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 29. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 20, 1905.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort Lawton, Washington, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 7, Department of the Columbia, January 11, 1905, and of which Lieutenant Colonel FRANK TAYLOR, 19th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant WILLIAM TAYLOR, battalion adjutant, 10th Infantry, was judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Second Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification 1st.—“In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having received from his commanding officer, Colonel Charles H. Noble, 10th Infantry, commanding at Fort Lawton, Washington, a certain communication in writing in the following words and figures, to wit:

FORT LAWTON, WASHINGTON, *October 26th, 1904.*
2d Lieutenant *P. H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry,
Fort Lawton, Washington.

SIR:

The commanding officer directs that you explain, by indorsement hereon, the cause of your absence from drill this morning. Very respectfully, (Signed)

J. T. DEAN,

Captain and Adjutant, 10th Infantry, Adjutant. did return said communication with the following false statement indorsed and written thereon by himself, in words and figures, to wit:

1st Indorsement.

FORT LAWTON, WASHINGTON, *October 27th, 1904.*

Respectfully returned to the Adjutant, Fort Lawton, with the information that my absence from drill on the occasion referred to within was due to the fact that I overslept myself. (Signed)

PAUL H. McDONALD,

2d Lieutenant, 10th Inftry.

which statement, that his, Lieutenant *McDonald's*, absence from the drill, on the occasion referred to,

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was due to the fact that he had overslept himself. was false, was by him, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, well known to be false and was made with the intent to deceive his said commanding officer, he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, well knowing that his said absence from drill was not due to his having overslept himself, but due to the fact that he was not in the post of Fort Lawton at the commencement of the said drill.

This at Fort Lawton, Washington, on the 27th day of October, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having received from his commanding officer, Colonel Charles H. Noble, 10th Infantry, commanding at Fort Lawton, Washington, a communication in writing wherein Lieutenant *McDonald* was directed to state by indorsement thereon his whereabouts during the drill hour on October 26th, 1904, did indorse and write thereon over his official signature the following, to wit:

'When I reached Fort Lawton it was about eight twenty or eight thirty, I was therefore too late for drill, I immediately reported to Major Moon, and to my company commander,' referring to the morning of October 26th, 1904, which statement that he, Lieutenant *McDonald*, had reached the post at 8.20 or 8.30 a. m. and had immediately reported to Major Moon, was false, and by him, Lieutenant *McDonald*, well known to be false, and was made with intent to deceive his said commanding officer, the fact being that he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, had reached the post of Fort Lawton at about 9.30 a. m. and reported to Major Moon at about 10.00 a. m.

This at Fort Lawton, Washington, on the 27th day of October, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, has, since the 9th day of October, 1903, contracted the following debts, viz:

With the Salinger Clothing Company at Leavenworth, Kansas, on or about October 9th, 1903, \$50.00;

with the United Loan & Trust Company at San Francisco, California, between the dates February 1st, 1904, and May 30th, 1904, \$300.00; with the Puget Sound National Bank at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 13th, 1904, \$60.00; with Joliffe & Company at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 8th, 1904, \$4.50; with W. E. Beaman at New York City, on or about September 15th, 1904, \$50.00; with the Seattle National Bank at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$890.35; with Montana Stables at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and October 31st, 1904, \$24.75; with Barbour & Company at Interbay, Washington, between the dates August 1st, 1904, and October 10th, 1904, \$5.73; with E. W. Herald at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 20th, 1904, \$52.50; with Frederick & Nelson at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and July 30th, 1904, \$125.80; with McCarthy Dry Goods Co., at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and August 10th, 1904, \$24.90; with McDougall & Southwick Company at Seattle, Washington, on or about August 30th, 1904, \$22.20; with H. F. Bennett at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and August 30th, 1904, \$27.25; with Dimock and Pendleton at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$89.50; with the Hotel Butler Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and November 11th, 1904, \$58.50; with J. H. Castberg at Interbay, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and November 11th, 1904, \$135.00; with Charles H. Gray at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 2d, 1904, \$340.00; with Mrs. A. E. Gilbert at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 6th, 1904, \$160.00; with the Broadway Stables at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 30th, 1904, \$24.25; with Studebaker

Brothers Company Northwest at Seattle, Washington, on or about October 21st, 1904, \$140.00; with Frost and O'Neil at Seattle, Washington, on or about October 31st, 1904, \$6.00; with W. M. Somervell at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 14th, 1904, and September 20th, 1904, \$400.00; with the University Club at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$76.87; with the National Laundry, Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and November 10th, 1904, \$17.35; with Treen Shoe Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 25th, 1904, and October 30th, 1904, \$29.35; with Lowman & Hanford Stationery & Printing Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates August 14th, 1904, and September 5th, 1904, \$25.20; with Seattle Harness & Collar Manufacturing Co. at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 10th, 1904, and October 30th, 1904, \$16.65; with S. Hyde at Seattle, Washington, between the dates August 1st, 1904, and November 10th, 1904, \$48.80; with Louch, Augustine & Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and October 31st, 1904, \$24.05; with F. Felix at Seattle, Washington, between the dates of October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$45.00; with Fort Lawton Post Exchange at Fort Lawton, Washington, between the dates November 1st, 1904, and November 9th, 1904, \$4.90; with Merchants-Laclede National Bank at St. Louis, Missouri, on or about November 17th, 1904, \$50.00; with A. H. Harrison at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 9th, 1904, \$250.00; with O. H. P. La Farge at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 11th, 1904, \$75.00; with Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City, on or about November 28th, 1904, \$30.00; with George F. Hurlbert at New York City, on or about November 28th, 1904, \$10.00; with 2d Lieutenant George C. Rockwell, 10th Infantry, at San Francisco, California, on or about March 1st,

1904, \$300.00; with W. T. Davidson, Assistant Surgeon, U. S. Army, at Presidio of San Francisco, California, on or about May 1, 1904, \$220.00; the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, well knowing, at the times he contracted said debts, that he could not pay them within a reasonable time.

This at or near the places and at or about the times above specified."

Specification 4th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, has, since the 9th day of October, 1903, contracted the following debts, viz:

With the Salinger Clothing Company at Leavenworth, Kansas, on or about October 9th, 1903, \$50.00; with United Loan and Trust Company at San Francisco, California, between the dates February 1st, 1904, and May 30th, 1904, \$300.00; with the Puget Sound National Bank at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 13th, 1904, \$60.00; with Joliffe & Company at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 8th, 1904, \$4.50; with W. E. Beaman at New York City, on or about September 15th, 1904, \$50.00; with the Seattle National Bank at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$890.35; with Montana Stables at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and October 31st, 1904, \$24.75; with Barbour & Company at Interbay, Washington, between the dates August 1st, 1904, and October 10th, 1904, \$5.73; with E. W. Herald at Seattle, Washington, on or about September 20th, 1904, \$52.50; with Frederick & Nelson at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and July 30th, 1904, \$125.80; with McCarthy Dry Goods Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and August 10th, 1904, \$24.90; with McDougall & Southwick Company at Seattle, Washington, on or about August 30th, 1904, \$22.20; with H. F. Bennett at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and August 30th, 1904, \$27.25; with Dimock & Pendleton at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September

1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$89.50; with the Hotel Butler Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates July 20th, 1904, and November 11th, 1904, \$58.50; with J. H. Castberg at Interbay, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and November 11th, 1904, \$135.00; with Charles H. Gray at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 2d, 1904, \$340.00; with Mrs. A. E. Gilbert at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 6th, 1904, \$160.00; with the Broadway Stables at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 30th, 1904, \$24.25; with Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest at Seattle, Washington, on or about October 21st, 1904, \$140.00; with Frost and O'Neil at Seattle, Washington, on or about October 31st, 1904, \$6.00; with W. M. Somervell at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 14th, 1904 and September 20th, 1904, \$400.00; with the University Club at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$76.87; with the National Laundry at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and November 10th, 1904, \$17.35; with Treen Shoe Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 25th, 1904, and October 30th, 1904, \$29.35; with Lowman & Hanford Stationery & Printing Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates August 14th, 1904, and September 5th, 1904, \$25.20; with Seattle Harness & Collar Manufacturing Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 10th, 1904, and October 30th, 1904, \$16.65; with S. Hyde at Seattle, Washington, between the dates August 1st, 1904, and November 10th, 1904, \$48.80; with Louch, Augustine & Company at Seattle, Washington, between the dates September 1st, 1904, and October 31st, 1904, \$24.95; with F. Felix at Seattle, Washington, between the dates October 1st, 1904, and November 12th, 1904, \$45.00; with Fort Lawton Post Exchange at Fort Lawton, Washington, between the dates November 1st, 1904, and November 9th, 1904,

\$4.90; with Merchants-Laclede National Bank at St. Louis, Missouri, on or about November 17th, 1904, \$50.00; with A. H. Harrison at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 9th, 1904, \$250.00; with O. H. P. La Farge at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 11th, 1904, \$75.00; with Waldorf-Astoria Hotel at New York City, on or about November 28th, 1904, \$30.00; with George F. Hurlbert at New York City, on or about November 28th, 1904, \$10.00; with 2d Lieutenant George C. Rockwell, 10th Infantry, at San Francisco, California, on or about March 1st, 1904, \$300.00; with W. T. Davidson, Assistant Surgeon, U. S. Army, at Presidio of San Francisco, California, on or about May 1st, 1904, \$220.00.

Which debts the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, has, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States, failed to pay, and continues still to owe at the date of these charges, December 18th, 1904.

This at Leavenworth, Kansas; San Francisco, California; Seattle, Washington; Interbay, Washington; Fort Lawton, Washington; St. Louis, Missouri; and at New York City, and between the date of October 9th, 1903, and the date of these charges, December 18th, 1904."

Specification 5th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for a period including the month of September, 1904, and having duly assigned the said accounts to the Puget Sound National Bank, Seattle, Washington, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, and while the same still remained in full force and effect, did present to Major H. L. Rees, Paymaster, U. S. Army, on or about September 30th, 1904, and receive payment thereon in the sum of one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$116.67), other official accounts by himself, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, duly made and executed, for the

same month of September, 1904, to which last-mentioned accounts the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald* falsely certified as follows: 'I certify that the amount charged in the foregoing account is correct and just.'

This at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about the 30th day of September, 1904."

Specification 6th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for the months of September and October, 1904, and having duly assigned said accounts to the Puget Sound National Bank of Seattle, Washington, on or about the 13th day of September, 1904, having thereby parted with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, and while the same remained in full force and effect, did make and execute in due form other official pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for the month of October, 1904, to which last-mentioned accounts the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did falsely certify as follows: 'I certify that the amount charged in the foregoing account is correct and just;' and did at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about the 31st day of October, 1904, forward the same to Major T. C. Goodman, Paymaster, U. S. Army, at Portland, Oregon, and did receive payment thereon in the sum of one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$116.67)."

Specification 7th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his official pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for a certain period including the month of January, 1905, and having duly assigned the said accounts on or about the 6th day of October, 1904, to the Seattle National Bank of Seattle, Washington, having thereby parted with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, and while the same remained in full force and effect, did make and execute, in due form, other official pay accounts

in his favor as an officer of the Army, and against the United States, for the same month of January, 1905, for the amount of one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$116.67), falsely and fraudulently certifying thereto that the amount charged therein was correct and just, and did knowingly, fraudulently, and designedly hypothecate and assign the same to one Charles H. Gray of Seattle, Washington, as security for the payment of a certain promissory note executed by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, made payable to the said Charles H. Gray, dated November 2d, 1904, and due December 10th, 1904, with the intent to defraud the said Charles H. Gray, and did then and there, by means of the said fraudulent pay accounts and false certificate, obtain from the said Charles H. Gray the sum of three hundred and forty (340) dollars.

This at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about November 2, 1904."

Specification 8th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 15th day of October, 1904, make and deliver to one W. M. Somervell, Seattle, Washington, a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of three hundred (300) dollars, dated October 15th, 1904, and made payable to the said W. M. Somervell, and did, then and there, by means of said writing, fraudulently, knowingly, and designedly obtain from the said W. M. Somervell the sum of three hundred (300) dollars, or the equivalent thereof, with intent to defraud the said W. M. Somervell, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, well knowing that he had not the funds in the said First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for payment of his said check, and that it was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 9th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 18th day of October, 1904, make and deliver to one W. M. Somervell, Seattle, Washington, a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of one hundred (100) dollars, dated October 18th, 1904, and made payable to the said W. M. Somervell, and did, then and there, by means of said writing, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly, obtain from the said W. M. Somervell, the sum of one hundred (100) dollars, or the equivalent thereof, with intent to defraud the said W. M. Somervell, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, well knowing that he had not the funds in the said First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the payment of his said check, and that it was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 10th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 21st day of October, 1904, make and deliver to Cook, Duffy Co., Seattle, Washington, a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the Washington National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of fifty (50) dollars, dated November 1st, 1904, and made payable to the said Cook, Duffy Co., as a partial payment for one buggy, bought by him, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, on terms of conditional sale, from the Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest, through their agents, the said Cook, Duffy Co. and did by means of delivering said check, as aforesaid, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly, obtain from the said Studebaker Brothers Company, through their said agents, Cook, Duffy Co., the said buggy, with the intent to defraud the said Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest, and their said agents, Cook, Duffy Co., the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H.*

McDonald, 10th Infantry, well knowing that the said check given as partial payment on said buggy, was worthless, and of no value, that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, had no funds in said Washington National Bank for the payment of the said check, and never had had any funds in said bank, and that the said check was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 11th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on or about the 9th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, make and deliver to the Hotel Butler Co., at Seattle, Washington, a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the Seattle National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars, dated November 9th, 1904, made payable to the Hotel Butler, and did by means of the making and delivering of said check, fraudulently and designedly receive and obtain therefor from the said Hotel Butler Co., the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars, with the intent to defraud the said Hotel Butler Co., he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, well knowing that said check so given was worthless, he well knowing that he had no funds in the said Seattle National Bank, for the payment of the said check, and that the same was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 12th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on or about the 10th day of November, 1904, at Interbay, Washington, make, execute and deliver to J. H. Castberg, Interbay, Washington, a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the Seattle National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of eighty-eight (88) dollars, dated November

10th, 1904, and made payable to the said J. H. Castberg, and did, then and there, by means of the said writing, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly obtain from the said J. H. Castberg the sum of eighty-eight (88) dollars, with the intent to defraud the said J. H. Castberg, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *McDonald*, well knowing that he had no funds in said bank for the payment of the said check, and that the same was worthless and of no value, when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 13th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did at New York City, on or about the 28th day of November, 1904, make and deliver to the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel a certain writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, check on the First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of thirty (30) dollars, and made payable to the said Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, and did by means of said writing, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly then and there obtain from the said Waldorf-Astoria Hotel the sum of thirty (30) dollars, or the equivalent thereof, with the intent to defraud the said Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, well knowing that he had not the funds in said First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the payment of said check, and that the same was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 14th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on or about the 28th day of November, 1904, at New York City, make and deliver to George F. Hurlbert, proprietor of the New Grand Hotel in said city, a writing purporting to be his, 2d Lieutenant *McDonald's*, check on the Seattle National Bank, Seattle, Washington, for the sum of ten (10) dollars, dated November 28th, 1904, and

made payable to the said New Grand Hotel, and did by means of said writing, then and there fraudulently, knowingly and designedly, obtain from the said George F. Hurlbert, the sum of ten (10) dollars, or the equivalent thereof, with intent to defraud the said George F. Hurlbert, he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, well knowing that he had not the funds in said Seattle National Bank, for the payment of the said check and that the same was worthless when issued.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 15th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on or about the 6th day of October, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, falsely, fraudulently and designedly represent to the Seattle National Bank, Seattle, Washington, that he would receive and come into the possession of an inheritance and interest in a certain estate theretofore bequeathed and descended to him, and amounting to several thousands of dollars, at some time during the early part of the year 1905, which representations were false, well known by him, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, to be false and were made with the intent to defraud the said Seattle National Bank, and did by means of said false representations fraudulently induce the Seattle National Bank, Seattle, Washington, to make to him a loan of five hundred (500) dollars, and did receive the said sum of five hundred (500) dollars as a loan from the said Seattle National Bank, on or about October 6th, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, then and there, executing to the said bank his promissory note for that amount, dated October 6th, 1904, and due three months from that date.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 16th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed a

draft dated Seattle, Washington, November 9th, 1904. 'at ten days sight,' payable to the order of one A. H. Harrison of Seattle, Washington, for the sum of two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, upon and addressed to himself, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, at Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., did, by falsely and fraudulently representing to the said A. H. Harrison that he, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, had obtained a leave of absence from the Army for the purpose of going to Kentucky, there to settle up an estate, in which he was interested, and that he was about to receive within the next few days from and out of said estate money to the extent of several thousands of dollars, and by the positive promise to pay the said draft when presented, did, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 9th day of November, 1904, induce and persuade the said A. H. Harrison to accept said draft, and did obtain therefor, from the said A. H. Harrison the sum of two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, and having so received the said sum of money, did fail and neglect to accept and pay the said draft, when due, but did allow the same to be solemnly protested for want of acceptance, when the same was presented, at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., on November 17th, 1904, and the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, has up to the date of these charges, December 18th, 1904, neglected and failed to pay the said draft, and the same is still unpaid. The said representation made by the said Lieutenant *McDonald* to the said A. H. Harrison, to the effect that he was about to, and would within the next few days thereafter, receive several thousands of dollars, being false, and well known by the said Lieutenant *McDonald* to be false and untrue, and was made with the intent to defraud the said A. H. Harrison.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 17th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, on or about the 11th day of November, 1904, by means of false representations, by himself then and there made, to one O. H. P. La Farge of Seattle, Washington, to the effect that he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, had money in the East subject to his, Lieutenant *McDonald's*, draft, but that for his, Lieutenant *McDonald's*, ignorance of banking business in general, and particularly how to procure money on a draft, made upon a drawee, having funds for payment of same, he would have procured, before close of banking hours on that day, sufficient money to meet his immediate needs, that it was absolutely necessary that he should depart that night for the East, that for this purpose he must have seventy-five (75) dollars, that if he, the said O. H. P. La Farge, would lend him that sum, he, Lieutenant *McDonald*, would remit the amount at once upon arriving in Kentucky, did defraud and induce the said O. H. P. La Farge to lend him, Lieutenant *McDonald*, the said sum of seventy-five (75) dollars; which representations to the effect that he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, was entirely ignorant of banking transactions and how to procure money upon a draft, made upon a party, at a distance, having funds for payment of same, that, but for this ignorance, he, Lieutenant *McDonald*, would have provided himself with necessary funds, were false and made with the intent to deceive and defraud the said O. H. P. La Farge; and which promise, made by the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, to repay the said O. H. P. La Farge the said sum of seventy-five (75) dollars, he, the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, has up to and at the date of these charges, December 18th, 1904, failed to perform.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 18th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed a certain promissory note signed by himself, dated No-

vember 2d, 1904, for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, made payable to one Charles H. Gray, and due December 10th, 1904, and having obtained thereon the signature of 1st Lieutenant George M. Brooke, Artillery Corps, as accommodation indorser, and having, on or about the 2d day of November, 1904, negotiated and delivered the said note, indorsed by 1st Lieutenant George M. Brooke, Artillery Corps, as aforesaid, to the said Charles H. Gray, at Seattle, Washington, receiving therefor the sum of three hundred and forty (340) dollars, did, on or about the 11th day of November, 1904, write and send to the said 1st Lieutenant George M. Brooke, Artillery Corps, a letter concerning said note, which letter was in the following words, to wit:

'MY DEAR BROOKE:

I did not use that note and have tried to get you and return it. I am just as much under obligation as though I had, however.

I go to Kentucky tonight for twenty days.

Sincerely,

MCDONALD.'

which statement in said letter contained, to wit: 'I did not use that note and have tried to get you and return it,' referring to the said note indorsed by said Lieutenant Brooke and negotiated as aforesaid, was false, was by him, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, known to be false, and was made with the intent to deceive the said Lieutenant Brooke.

This at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 11th day of November, 1904."

Specification 19th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, at St. Louis, Missouri, on or about the 17th day of November, 1904, present himself at the office of Major Thomas Cruse, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Depot Quartermaster at St. Louis, Missouri, and represent to the said Major Cruse that he, 2d Lieutenant *McDonald*, had accidentally lost his pocketbook containing a sum of money (\$60.00 or \$70.00) and his railroad ticket to

Washington, that if Major Cruse would identify him at a bank so that he could get \$50.00 upon a draft, he, 2d Lieutenant *McDonald*, would pay the draft at once upon his arrival in Washington, and did upon his identification by the said Major Cruse at the Merchants-Laclede National Bank of St. Louis, at St. Louis, Missouri, then and there make and deliver to the said bank his, 2d Lieutenant *McDonald's*, draft upon and addressed to himself at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., for the sum of fifty (50) dollars, dated November 17th, 1904, made payable to the said Merchants-Laclede National Bank of St. Louis, 'at five days sight,' and did, by means of said draft, and with intent to defraud the said bank, then and there obtain from the said Merchants-Laclede National Bank the sum of fifty (50) dollars, which draft the said 2d Lieutenant *McDonald* did neglect and fail to pay at the place for payment therein stated, or at any other place, and did permit the same to be returned unpaid to the said Merchants-Laclede National Bank, and by the said bank to be presented to said Major Thomas Cruse, who voluntarily reimbursed the said bank in the amount of fifty (50) dollars. J

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 20th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having obtained possession of one certain buggy from the Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest, through and by means of a contract of conditional sale, by the terms of which contract the legal title in and to the said buggy was retained in and by the said Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest, and was not to become vested in the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, until after payment in full to the said Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest of the sum of ninety (90) dollars, due and payable on the 21st day of December, 1904, did, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly mortgage the said buggy and include the same

in a certain chattel mortgage, which he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did execute, acknowledge and deliver, on the 2d day of November, 1904, to one Charles H. Gray as security for the payment of his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, promissory note for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, dated November 2d, 1904, due December 10th, 1904, and made payable to the said Charles H. Gray, and did agree, represent and stipulate in said mortgage that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, was the sole and exclusive owner of said buggy and that the same was free from debt, and did moreover, state upon oath, in his affidavit attached to and indorsed upon said chattel mortgage, subscribed and sworn to by him, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, on the 2d day of November, 1904, before Frank A. Noble, Notary Public, in and for the State of Washington and County of King, that he, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, was the sole and bona fide owner of said buggy, and that the same was entirely free from incumbrance, lien or claim of any nature whatsoever, which agreement, representation and stipulation in the body of the said chattel mortgage, to the effect that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, was the sole owner of said buggy, that the same was free from all incumbrances, and which statement in the said affidavit to the like effect, were entirely false and untrue, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, well knowing the same to be false and untrue, and were made with the intent to defraud the said Charles H. Gray and thereby induce the said Charles H. Gray to make to him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, a loan of three hundred and forty (340) dollars, and the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, by means of said false representations and false statements in said affidavit, obtain from the said Charles H. Gray the sum of three hundred and forty (340) dollars.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 2d day of November, 1904.”

Specification 21st—“In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having in his possession a certain saddle belonging to one W. E. Beaman of New York City, did, without authority from the said W. E. Beaman, fraudulently mortgage the same to one Charles H. Gray of Seattle, Washington, by chattel mortgage dated November 2d, 1904, made in favor of the said Charles H. Gray, for a valuable consideration, and did fraudulently and falsely represent and assert in said chattel mortgage that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, was the sole and bona fide owner of the said saddle, and did thereby defraud the said Charles H. Gray.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States, at Seattle, Washington, on the 2d day of November, 1904.”

Specification 22d—“In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, as mortgagor, at Seattle, Washington, on the 6th day of November, 1904, execute, sign and deliver to Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, mortgagee, of Seattle, Washington, as security for the payment of his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, promissory note for the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars, dated November 6th, 1904, due and payable to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert on the 10th day of December, 1904, a certain chattel mortgage dated November 6th, 1904, made in favor of the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and did therein and in his affidavit upon oath, made, and subscribed and sworn to by him on the 6th day of November, 1904, before R. W. Barto, Notary Public in and for the State of Washington and residing at Seattle in King County, attached to and indorsed upon said mortgage, falsely, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly represent and agree that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, was the owner of one (1) mahogany

davenport, one (1) oak roll-top desk, one (1) extension dining table (mahogany) and one (1) mahogany bookcase, that the same were kept on his premises at Fort Lawton, King County, Washington, and did include and expressly name said articles as property, in and by said mortgage purported to be mortgaged to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, for the purpose aforesaid, which representations made in said mortgage, that he, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, was the owner of said mahogany davenport, oak roll-top desk, extension dining table (mahogany), and one mahogany bookcase, and that the same were in his premises at Fort Lawton, King County, Washington, were wholly and absolutely false and untrue, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, then and there well knowing the same to be utterly false and entirely untrue, and that he had never owned and had in his possession at Fort Lawton, Washington, or in King County, Washington, the articles above described, this with the intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on or about the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, by means of the said fraudulent mortgage, the said false representations therein contained and the said false statements in the said affidavit, knowingly made, and with the intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, obtain from her the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 23d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having, as mortgagor, on the 2d day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, signed and delivered to one Charles H. Gray, as security for payment of his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, promissory note for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, dated November 2d, 1904, due and payable to the said Charles H. Gray, on the 10th day

of December, 1904, a certain mortgage, dated November 2d, 1904, and in favor of the said Charles H. Gray, as mortgagee, and having included as the property mortgaged and covered by said mortgage, in general terms, and partially by special description and enumeration, all the property of the mortgagor, then at and in his residence at Fort Lawton, and in King County, Washington, and in the stables adjacent thereto, did, as mortgagor and while the said mortgage to the said Charles H. Gray was still in full force and effect, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver, on the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, to one Mrs. A. E. Gilbert of Seattle, Washington, mortgagee, a certain writing purporting to be his, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, deed of mortgage dated November 6th, 1904, as security for the payment to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, of the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars, according to the tenor effect of one certain promissory note, dated November 6th, 1904, for the said sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars, due December 10th, 1904, and did include in said latter mortgage and thereby mortgage all the aforesaid personal property, previously mortgaged in and by the said mortgage in favor of the said Charles H. Gray, as aforesaid, partially by special description, and fully by general description, and did, in the body of said mortgage, falsely represent and agree that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, was sole owner of all the said personal property, described in said mortgage in favor of Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and that the same was free and clear of all incumbrances, and did also further and falsely represent upon his oath in his affidavit made, signed and subscribed to on the 6th day of November, 1904, before R. W. Barto, Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing in the County of King, which affidavit was attached to and indorsed upon said chattel mortgage, that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, was the

sole and bona fide owner of the said property mentioned in the above-named mortgage to Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and that the same was entirely free from incumbrance, which statements were false, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, well knowing that the statements in the body of said mortgage and in the affidavit thereon indorsed, to the effect that he was the sole and bona fide owner of the property therein described and that the same was entirely free from incumbrance, were utterly false and entirely untrue, and that the said mortgage in favor of the said Charles H. Gray was still at that time (November 6th, 1904) in full force and binding effect, and that the note of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars thereby secured was still then unsatisfied, and the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, on the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, by means of the said fraudulent mortgage and by means of the said false statements in the body of said mortgage and in the affidavit thereon indorsed, with intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, obtain from her the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 24th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did, as mortgagor, on the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, sign, execute and deliver to Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, mortgagee, as security for the payment of a certain promissory note, signed by the said Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, for the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars, dated November 6th, 1904, due and payable to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert on the 10th day of December, 1904, a writing purporting to be his, said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, mortgage, dated November 6th, 1904, in favor of the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and did falsely and fraudulently include and describe therein as personal property thereby mortgaged, in general terms and partially by special description,

all the personal property he then owned and situate in King County, Washington, and by special mention enumerate as articles as by him so owned and mortgaged, one (1) mahogany davenport, one (1) oak roll-top desk, one (1) mahogany extension dining table, and one (1) mahogany bookcase, and did by special statement in the body of said mortgage represent and agree that of all the property therein mentioned he was the sole owner, and that the same was free and clear of all incumbrances and that the same was then in his possession in King County, Washington, and did further, in his affidavit voluntarily made, signed and subscribed by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, on the 6th day of November, 1904, before R. W. Barto, Notary Public in and for the said State of Washington and residing in Seattle, King County, attached to and indorsed upon said mortgage, wilfully, falsely and corruptly state upon his, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, oath that the aforesaid mortgage was made in good faith, and that he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, was the sole and bona fide owner of all the aforesaid property therein described, that the same was free from all incumbrance, lien or claim of any nature whatsoever, which representations in the body of the said mortgage, to the effect that he was the sole owner of the aforesaid property and that the same was free and clear of all incumbrances, were false, and which statements in the said affidavit, to the effect that the said mortgage was made in good faith, that he was the sole and bona fide owner of the aforesaid chattels and that the same were free from all incumbrance, lien or claim, were false and entirely untrue, and were made with intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, then and there well knowing that he had, on the 2d day of November, 1904, by chattel mortgage of that date, mortgaged to Charles H. Gray all the personal property he then owned, that the said mortgage to Charles H. Gray

was still, on November 6th, 1904, in full force and effect, and that he did not own and have in his possession in King County, Washington, or at Fort Lawton, Washington, the said articles, one (1) mahogany davenport, one (1) oak roll-top desk, one (1) mahogany extension dining table, and one (1) mahogany bookcase, and never had so owned and had possession of such articles.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States."

Specification 25th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having obtained possession of a certain buggy from the Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest, by and under a contract of conditional sale, according to the terms of which the title to said buggy was not to become vested in the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, but was to remain in the said Studebaker Brothers Company Northwest until after the payment of ninety (90) dollars, a part of the purchase price of the said buggy, and while the title to said buggy yet remained in the said Studebaker Brothers Company by reason of the nonpayment of said sum of ninety (90) dollars, did fraudulently, knowingly and designedly mortgage the said buggy to one Mrs. A. E. Gilbert at Seattle, Washington, on or about November 6th, 1904, by chattel mortgage made and delivered by the said Lieutenant *McDonald*, as mortgagor, to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, mortgagee, dated November 6th, 1904, with the intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and did by means of the said fraudulent mortgage obtain from the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars.

This to the scandal and disgrace of the military service of the United States, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 6th day of November, 1904."

Specification 26th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having on or about September 17th, 1904, executed and delivered to his company commander, Captain W. A. Phillips, 10th Infantry,

his solemn pledge and agreement not to drink any spirituous or malt liquor from that date till January 1st, 1905, on the faith and understanding that his, the said Lieutenant *McDonald's*, offense of being intoxicated on or about September 16th, 1904, would be condoned, did nevertheless drink intoxicating liquor at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about October 3d, 1904.

This at or near Fort Lawton, Washington, and Seattle, Washington, on or about the dates above specified."

Specification 27th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having on or about September 17th, 1904, executed and delivered to his company commander, Captain W. A. Phillips, 10th Infantry, his solemn pledge and agreement not to drink any spirituous or malt liquor from that date till January 1st, 1905, on the faith and understanding that his, the said Lieutenant *McDonald's*, offense of being intoxicated on or about September 16th, 1904, would be condoned, did nevertheless drink intoxicating liquor at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about October 25th, 1904.

This at or near Seattle, Washington, and Fort Lawton, Washington, on or about the dates above specified."

Specification 28th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having on or about September 17th, 1904, executed and delivered to his company commander, Captain W. A. Phillips, 10th Infantry, his solemn pledge and agreement not to drink any spirituous or malt liquor from that date till January 1st, 1905, on the faith and understanding that his, the said Lieutenant *McDonald's*, offense of being intoxicated on or about September 16th, 1904, would be condoned, did nevertheless drink intoxicating liquor at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about November 10th, 1904.

This at or near Seattle, Washington, and Fort Lawton, Washington, on or about the dates above specified."

Specification 29th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having on or about September 17th, 1904, executed and delivered to his company commander, Captain W. A. Phillips, 10th Infantry, his solemn pledge and agreement not to drink any spirituous or malt liquor from that date till January 1st, 1905, on the faith and understanding that his, the said Lieutenant *McDonald's*, offense of being intoxicated on or about September 16th, 1904, would be condoned, did nevertheless drink intoxicating liquor at or near Fort Lawton, Washington, on or about November 9th, 1904.

This at or near Fort Lawton, Washington, on or about the dates above specified."

CHARGE II.—"Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, after a caution given by his commanding officer, Colonel C. H. Noble, 10th Infantry, about an absence over night, did, without authority, absent himself from his station, Fort Lawton, Washington, from about 8 p. m., October 25th, 1904, till about 9.30 a. m., October 26th, 1904.

This at Fort Lawton, Washington, on the dates above given."

Specification 2d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his official pay accounts as an officer of the Army for the two (2) months of September and October, 1904, did, before his pay for September, 1904, was due, hypothecate and deliver the said pay accounts to the Puget Sound National Bank, Seattle, Washington, as security for the payment of his promissory note for the amount of one hundred (100) dollars, dated September 13th, 1904, due sixty days after date thereof, and payable to the said Puget Sound National Bank.

This at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 13th day of September, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his official pay accounts as an officer of the Army for the month of November, 1904, did, before the same were due, hypothecate and assign the same to one Charles H. Gray, of Seattle, Washington, as security for the payment of a certain promissory note executed by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, payable to the said Charles H. Gray, for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, dated November 2d, 1904, and due December 10th, 1904.

This at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 2d day of November, 1904."

Specification 4th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed, in due form, his official pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for the month of December, 1904, did, before the same were due, hypothecate and assign the same to one Charles H. Gray, Seattle, Washington, as security for the payment of his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, promissory note, for the sum of three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, dated November 2d, 1904, payable to the said Charles H. Gray, and due December 10th, 1904.

This at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 2d day of November, 1904."

Specification 5th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, official pay accounts as an officer of the Army, for the five months of January, February, March, April and May, 1905, did, before any of the same were due, hypothecate and assign the same to the Seattle National Bank, at Seattle, Washington, as security

for the payment of his, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, promissory note for the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, dated October 6th, 1904, due three months after date of same, payable to the said Seattle National Bank, and signed by the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry.

This at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 6th day of October, 1904."

Specification 6th—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, did as mortgagor, on the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, sign, execute and deliver to Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, mortgagee, as security for the payment of a certain promissory note, signed by the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, for the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars, dated November 6th, 1904, due and payable to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert on the 10th day of December, 1904, a writing purporting to be his, the said Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, mortgage, dated November 6th, 1904, in favor of the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, and did falsely and fraudulently include and describe therein as personal property thereby mortgaged, in general terms and partially by special description, all the personal property he then owned and situate at Fort Lawton and in King County, Washington, and by special mention enumerate as articles as by him so owned and mortgaged, one (1) mahogany davenport, one (1) oak roll-top desk, one (1) mahogany extension dining table and one (1) mahogany bookcase, and did by special statement in the body of the said mortgage represent and agree that of all the property therein mentioned, he was the sole owner, and that the same was free and clear of all incumbrances, and that the same was then in his possession in said King County, Washington; and did further, in his affidavit voluntarily made, signed and subscribed to by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, on the 6th day of November, 1904, before R. W. Barto, notary public in and for the said State of Washington and residing

in Seattle, King County, attached to and indorsed upon said mortgage, wilfully, falsely and corruptly state upon his, the said Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald's*, oath that the aforesaid mortgage was made in good faith, and that he, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, was the sole and bona fide owner of all the aforesaid property therein described, that the same was free from all incumbrance, lien or claim of any nature whatsoever, which representations in the body of the said mortgage to the effect that he was the sole owner of the aforesaid property, and that the same was free and clear of all incumbrances, and which statements in the said affidavit to the effect that the said mortgage was made in good faith, that he was the sole and bona fide owner of the aforesaid chattels and that the same were free from all incumbrance, lien or claim, were utterly false and entirely untrue, and were made with intent to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, then and there well knowing that he had, on the 2d day of November, 1904, by chattel mortgage of that date, mortgaged to Charles H. Gray, all the personal property he then owned, that the said mortgage to Charles H. Gray was still, on November 6th, 1904, in full force and effect, and that he did not own and have in his possession in King County, Washington, or at Fort Lawton, Washington, the said articles, one (1) mahogany davenport, one (1) oak roll-top desk, one (1) mahogany extension dining table, and one (1) mahogany bookcase, and never had so owned and had possession of such articles, and the said Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, did, on or about the 6th day of November, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, by means of the said fraudulent mortgage, executed and delivered to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert and the said false affidavits thereto attached, with intent then and there to defraud the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, obtain from her the sum of one hundred and sixty (160) dollars."

CHARGE III.—“ Violation of the 60th Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“ In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed, in due and proper form, his pay accounts, as an officer of the Army, for the month of September, 1904, and having, on or about the 13th day of September, 1904, assigned and delivered the same to the Puget Sound National Bank, Seattle, Washington, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, and the same still being in full force and effect, did, fraudulently, knowingly and designedly cause to be presented to Major H. L. Rees, Paymaster, U. S. Army, in the service of the United States, as Paymaster of the Army, for payment, another official pay account, as an officer of the Army, by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, duly made and executed, for the same month of September, 1904, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, then and there well knowing the said latter mentioned official pay account, presented to Major H. L. Rees, Paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, as aforesaid, to be fraudulent when made and executed, and when presented.

This at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about the 30th day of September, 1904.”

Specification 2d—“ In that 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having made and executed in due and proper form his pay accounts as an officer of the Army, for the month of October, 1904, and having on or about the 13th day of September, 1904, assigned and delivered the same to the Puget Sound National Bank, Seattle, Washington, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, and without having redeemed the same, the same still being in full force and effect, did fraudulently, knowingly and designedly cause to be presented to Major T. C. Goodman, Paymaster, U. S. Army, in the service of the United States as Paymaster of the Army, for payment, another official pay account, as

an officer of the Army, for the same month of October, 1904, and by him, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, duly made and executed, he, the said 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, then and there well knowing the latter-mentioned official pay account presented to Major T. C. Goodman, Paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, as aforesaid, to be fraudulent, when made and executed, and when presented.

This at or near Seattle, Washington, on or about the 31st day of October, 1904."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows :

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty."
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 To the 18th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 19th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 20th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 21st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 22d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 23d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 24th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 25th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 26th *Specification*, "Guilty."

To the 27th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 28th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 29th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge III.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
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 Of the 27th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 28th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 29th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge III.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States, and to be confined at hard labor, in such penitentiary as the reviewing authority may direct, for the period of two (2) years.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of 2d Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, 10th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon :

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 10, 1905.

The sentence in the case of Second Lieutenant *Paul H. McDonald*, Tenth Regiment of Infantry, is confirmed and will be carried into execution.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Lieutenant *McDonald* ceases to be an officer of the Army from February 13, 1905, and the United States penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is designated as the place for his confinement. [975927, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 30.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *February 20, 1905.*

I.--Whenever a cable or other material forming part of the seacoast defenses of the United States is fouled by a passing vessel, the commanding officer of the post or station, to whose knowledge the fact is brought, will make prompt report by telegraph direct to The Military Secretary of the Army of the name and nationality of the vessel concerned and the nature and extent of the damage done by it, in order that the matter may be placed in the hands of the Department of Justice for an application of the remedy prescribed in the act of July 7, 1898 (30 Stats., 717), or for such a resort to proceedings in admiralty as may seem to be warranted by the facts. The commanding officer will send a copy of his report to the department commander. [972502, M. S. O.]

II.--Until such time as a manual of fencing with the bayonet has been prepared and distributed to the Army, all troops armed with the rifle will be drilled in the bayonet exercise as given in the Infantry Drill Regulations of 1901, paragraphs 151 and 157 to 178, inclusive. [971552, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 31. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 24, 1905.

The following is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The United States having acquired by acts of sale, numbers 141, 142, and 143, dated December 30, 1903, before Luis Munoz Morales, a lawyer and notary public in and for the Island of Porto Rico, resident in the town of Cayey, said acts being registered in the Registry of Property of Guayama, the following-described tracts of land in connection with the military reservation of Henry Barracks, Cayey, Porto Rico, the same are announced as additions to that reservation, viz:

1. Certain tracts of land, acquired from Francisco Fernandez Navas and wife, Santiago Lopez and wife, Teresa Rosset Flores, Maria Alejo Vasquez, Isabel Llera Vasquez, Providencia Perez Llera, and Jose Perez Llera, which together form one complete parcel, containing 150.562 hectares (about 372 acres), lying adjacent to the military reservation of Henry Barracks, and is bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at a stone monument marked "U. S. M. R." on the military road, this point being the southerly corner of the military reservation of Henry Barracks, Cayey, Porto Rico, as reserved by Executive Order of June 30th, 1903 (G. O., No. 97, A. G. O., July 7th, 1903); thence following the military road north $45^{\circ} 30'$ east, 233.7 feet, and north $53^{\circ} 00'$ east, 274.7 feet to the northeast corner of said reservation; thence north $58^{\circ} 51'$ west, 971.3 feet to the northwesterly corner of said reservation; thence south $31^{\circ} 00'$ west, 440 feet, to the brook of the town called Rio del Pueblo, this point being the westerly corner of said reservation; thence following said brook in northwesterly, northeasterly and northwesterly directions, to a stake on the west bank of said brook, this stake being about 850 feet north, and about 100 feet east of the last preceding station; thence north $23^{\circ} 50'$ east, 537.8 feet; thence north $41^{\circ} 55'$ east, 679.5 feet; thence, following the crest of the hill, north $47^{\circ} 04'$ east, 168 feet; thence north $67^{\circ} 40'$ east, 120.5 feet; thence south $89^{\circ} 30'$ east, 174.2 feet; thence south $56^{\circ} 07'$ east, 590 feet; thence south $85^{\circ} 02'$ east, 1,391 feet; thence south $41^{\circ} 30'$ east, 402 feet; thence south $15^{\circ} 45'$ east, 359 feet; thence crossing the military road to a peg on the south side of said military road and 43 feet from the last-mentioned point; thence north $65^{\circ} 30'$ east, 474.5 feet, this point being south $29^{\circ} 41'$ west, 76 feet from the southwest corner of the residence owned by Modesto Munitiz; thence south $75^{\circ} 33'$ east, 80.5 feet; thence north $86^{\circ} 23'$ east, 1,255 feet to a nail on a tree in the center of a dry brook, which marks the northeasterly corner of the land herein described; thence following said brook in a southerly direction to a stake in above-mentioned brook, this stake being about 1,290 feet south and about 60 feet west of the northeasterly corner of the reservation; thence along a hedge to a stake south $75^{\circ} 24'$ east, 580 feet; thence along a wire fence south $6^{\circ} 13'$ east, 1,596 feet; thence south $40^{\circ} 13'$ east, 31 feet; thence south $4^{\circ} 43'$ east, 180 feet; thence south $80^{\circ} 23'$ west, 61.5 feet to a stake in a Quebrada; thence following the course of the Quebrada Las Lleras in a southerly direction 436

feet, more or less, to a large stone marked with a cross, in the above-mentioned Quebrada; thence south $25^{\circ} 08'$ west, 770 feet to a stake on top of a hill; thence north $59^{\circ} 08'$ west, 873 feet to a stake near a palm tree; thence following the various courses of the brook separating Lleras property from military reservation to a stake in said brook; this stake being about 730 feet north and about 470 feet west of the last preceding point; thence north $8^{\circ} 30'$ west, 1,491.5 feet, to a peg in a hedge; thence along said hedge south $62^{\circ} 55'$ west, 327 feet; thence north $70^{\circ} 27'$ west, 587.5 feet; thence north $69^{\circ} 48'$ west, 558 feet to a stake on the east side of a private road leading to the house owned by one Rucabado; thence south $39^{\circ} 18'$ west, 97 feet; thence following the various courses of the brook which separates the Lleras property from the lands formerly owned by Santiago Lopez, but now owned by the United States, to a stake in the middle of a cactus hedge, this peg being 821 feet south, and 250 feet east, more or less, from the last preceding point; thence along a cactus hedge south $73^{\circ} 33'$ west, 1,050 feet; thence following a small branch running west to a peg at the foot of a Buscal tree, said tree being marked with a cross and about 10 feet east of the culvert on the Guayama Road; thence following in a northerly and westerly direction, along the eastern boundary of the Guayama Road, to a peg on the southern boundary of the military road between Ponce and San Juan, said peg being south $53^{\circ} 45'$ east, 66 feet from the stone monument which is the point of beginning; thence north $52^{\circ} 45'$ west, 66 feet, to the point of beginning.

The courses and distances in the foregoing description are based on a survey of the reservation as thus enlarged, by *A. Moreno*, second lieutenant, Twenty-eighth United States Infantry, in November and December, 1904, a map of said survey being on file with the title papers to the premises.

2. A parcel of land acquired from Modesto Munitiz Aguirre and wife, containing 0.7960 hectare (about 1.94 acres), situated in the ward of Montellano, about one and one-fourth miles from the military reservation of Henry Barracks; together with the water system and franchise to take water flowing through a four-inch pipe from Novillos Creek, and for pipe line leading therefrom to Henry Barracks, reserving to the grantor, his heirs and successors, permanently, a supply through a three-fourths-inch pipe coming from the main pipe for the use of his household in said ward of Montellano: said parcel being bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at the easterly corner of the lands herein described; thence north $76^{\circ} 00'$ west, along land of Baltasar Jesus, 224 feet; thence south $14^{\circ} 00'$ west, along same lands, 440 feet; thence south $43^{\circ} 30'$ east, along land of Ediviges Aponte, 60 feet; thence north $56^{\circ} 00'$ east, 257 feet; thence north $14^{\circ} 00'$ east, along lands belonging to the succession of Ramon Aponte, 276 feet, to the point of beginning.

[527585, A. G. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 32. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 28, 1905.

By direction of the President, under the provisions of section 36 of an act of Congress approved February 2, 1901, companies of the Philippine Scouts as hereinafter designated are formed into battalions of infantry, and the captains of the line hereinafter named are selected and detailed as majors to command the battalions thus organized, respectively:

The 12th, 14th, 26th, and 28th Companies to form the 2d Battalion, under command of Major *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, detailed from captain, 12th Cavalry;

The 13th, 22d, 29th, and 45th Companies to form the 3d Battalion, under command of Major *George B. Duncan*, detailed from captain, 4th Infantry;

The 43d, 44th, 48th, and 49th Companies to form the 4th Battalion, under command of Major *Lorrain T. Richardson*, detailed from captain, 22d Infantry;

The 15th, 16th, 21st, and 23d Companies to form the 5th Battalion, under command of Major *Stephen M. Kochersperger*, detailed from captain, 2d Cavalry;

The 1st, 5th, 35th, and 37th Companies to form the 6th Battalion, under command of Major *Franklin S. Hutton*, detailed from captain, 12th Infantry;

The 11th, 17th, 31st, and 32d Companies to form the 7th Battalion, under command of Major *Robert W. Mearns*, detailed from captain, 20th Infantry.

The commissioned and noncommissioned staff of each battalion will consist of—

One 1st lieutenant, Philippine Scouts, adjutant;

One 2d lieutenant, Philippine Scouts, quartermaster and commissary;

One sergeant major. [981335, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 33. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, February 28, 1906.

I.—Paragraph II, General Orders, No. 158, War Department, September 30, 1904, is hereby amended to read as follows:

II. The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

As the rooms furnished to officers serving as quartermasters, commissaries, and surgeons of army transports can hardly be regarded as an adequate provision of quarters to which such officers are entitled under the Regulations, such officers will hereafter be furnished their allowance of quarters in kind ashore when available, and when quarters are not available commutation in lieu thereof will be paid. [938808, M. S. O.]

II.—Under the provisions of paragraph 220, Army Regulations, the post of Fort Des Moines, Iowa, is hereby designated to display the garrison flag, in addition to the posts so designated on page 23 of General Orders, No. 103, War Department, June 15, 1904. [973502, M. S. O.]

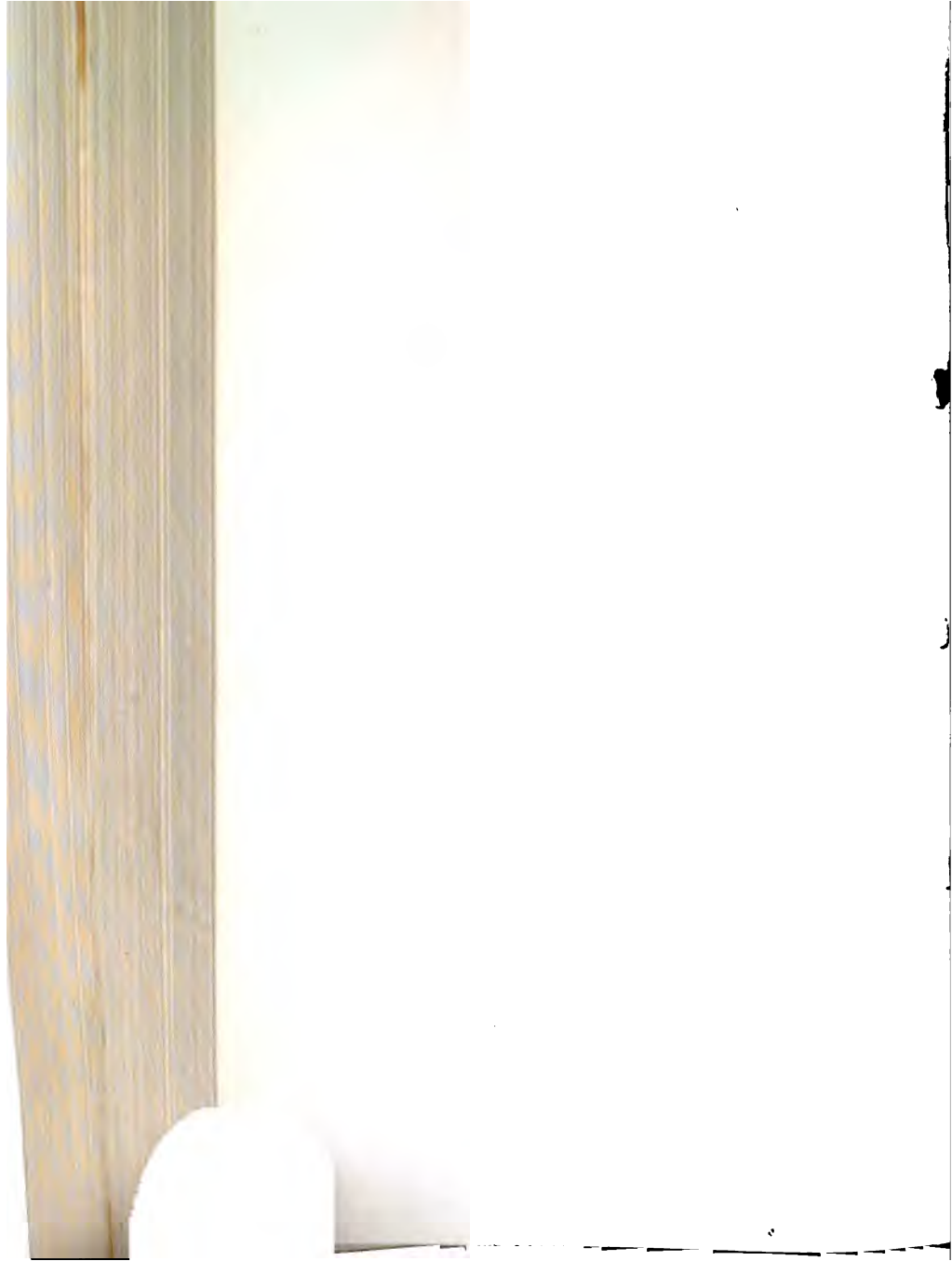
BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 34. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 2, 1905.

In order to fix more definitely the accountability for thermometers and hygrometers for use in connection with the ventilation of magazines containing powder at seacoast fortifications, such property now on hand will be transferred and hereafter issued and accounted for as follows:

All thermometers and hygrometers for use in connection with the ventilation of magazines now on hand and borne on Engineer Department and Signal Corps property returns will be transferred to the Ordnance Department and in future these instruments will be issued only by the latter department. This is not to interfere with the issue of Signal Corps instruments issued for other purposes to seacoast fortifications.

Artillery district commanders will cause their district artillery engineer and signal officers to make these transfers to the district ordnance officers on regular invoices and receipts, and in future requisitions for these instruments for the use stated and to carry out the provisions of Artillery Memorandum, No. 4, War Department, December 20, 1904, will be made upon the Ordnance Department only. [881455, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 35. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 3, 1905.

Troops A, B, E, and H, 9th Cavalry, will be relieved from further duty in connection with the inaugural parade on March 7, 1905, upon which date they will proceed to their proper stations as follows:

Troops A and B, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Troops E and H, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

The commanding generals of the Atlantic and Northern Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [983285, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 86. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 6, 1905.

The following acts and joint resolutions of the Congress are published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

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I. An Act To provide for the construction and maintenance of roads, the establishment and maintenance of schools, and the care and support of insane persons in the district of Alaska, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

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SEC. 2. That there shall be a board of road commissioners in said district, to be composed of an engineer officer of the United States Army to be detailed and appointed by the Secretary of War, and two other officers of that part of the Army stationed in said district and to be designated by the Secretary of War. The said engineer officer shall, during the term of his said detail and appointment, abide in said district. The said board shall have the power, and it shall be their duty, upon their own motion or upon petition, to locate, lay out, construct, and maintain wagon roads and pack trails from any point on the navigable waters of said district to any town, mining or other industrial camp or settlement, or between any such town, camps, or settlements therein, if in their judgment

such roads or trails are needed and will be of permanent value for the development of the district; but no such road or trail shall be constructed to any town, camp, or settlement which is wholly transitory or of no substantial value or importance for mining, trade, agricultural, or manufacturing purposes. The said board shall prepare maps, plans, and specifications of every road or trail they may locate and lay out, and whenever more than five thousand dollars in the aggregate shall have to be expended on the construction of any road or trail, contract for the work shall be let by them to the lowest responsible bidder, upon sealed bids, after due notice, under rules and regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of War. The board may reject any bid if they deem the same unreasonably high or if they find that there is a combination among bidders. In case no responsible and reasonable bid can be secured, then the work may be carried on with material and men procured and hired by the board. The engineer officer of the board shall in all cases supervise the work of construction and see that the same is properly performed. As soon as any road or trail laid out by the board has been constructed and completed they shall examine the same and make a full and detailed report of the work done on the same to the Secretary of War, and in such report they shall state whether the road or trail has been completed conformable to the maps, plans, and specifications of the same. It shall be the duty of said board, as far as practicable, to keep in proper repair all roads and trails constructed under their supervision, and the same rules as to the manner in which the work of repair shall be done, whether by contract or otherwise, shall govern as in the case of the original construction of the road or trail. The cost and expenses of laying out, constructing, and repairing such roads and trails shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury out of the road and trail portion of said "Alaska fund" upon vouchers approved and certified by said board. The Secretary of the Treasury shall, at the end of each month, send by mail to each of the members of said board a statement of the amount available of said "Alaska fund" for the construction and repair of roads and trails, and no greater liability for construction or repair shall at any time be incurred by said board than the money available therefor at that time in said fund. The members of said board shall, in addition to their salaries, be entitled to receive their actual traveling expenses paid or incurred by them in the performance of their duties as members of the board.

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II. An Act Authorizing the President to nominate and appoint William L. Patterson a second lieutenant in the United States Army.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to nominate, and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint William L. Patterson a second lieutenant in the United States Army.

Approved, February 18, 1905. [981587, M. S. O.]

III. Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of War to receive, for instruction at the Military Academy at West Point, Frutos Tomás Plaza, of Ecuador.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to permit Frutos Tomás Plaza, of Ecuador, to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point: Provided, That no expense shall be caused to the United States thereby, and that the said Plaza shall agree to comply fully with all regulations for the police and discipline of the United States Military Academy and shall be studious and give his utmost efforts to accomplish the courses in the various departments of instruction: Provided further, That in the case of the said Plaza the provisions of sections thirteen hundred and twenty and thirteen hundred and twenty-one of the Revised Statutes of the United States shall be suspended.

Approved, January 18, 1905. [981901, M. S. O.]

IV. Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of War to receive for instruction at the Military Academy at West Point, Luis Bográn H., of Honduras.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized to permit Luis Bográn H., of Honduras, to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point: Provided, That no expense shall be caused to the United States thereby: And provided further, That in the case of the said Luis Bográn H., the provisions of sections thirteen hundred and twenty and thirteen hundred and twenty-one of the Revised Statutes shall be suspended.

Approved, January 18, 1905. [981801, M. S. O.]

V. Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of War to transfer to the militia cavalry organization at Chattanooga, Tennessee, a certain unused portion of the national cemetery reservation at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the

United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to turn over to the possession of the militia cavalry organization of the National Guard of the State of Tennessee stationed at Chattanooga, Tennessee, now known and designated as Troop B, Unattached Cavalry, National Guard State of Tennessee, or such other designation as it may hereafter be given, and its successors, that portion of the national cemetery reservation belonging to the United States Government, at Chattanooga, Tennessee, which lies outside of said cemetery and west of the south gate thereof, formerly occupied as an army post and now abandoned and lying in the common, the same comprising about five acres, more or less, and further described as follows: Bounded on the north by the tracks and right of way of the Western and Atlantic and Cincinnati Southern railways, on the east by the national cemetery and the Government road leading thereto, and on the south and west by the track and right of way of the Chattanooga Belt Railway.

SEC. 2. That said cavalry organization shall be permitted to use said property for military purposes and to erect thereon an armory, riding hall, stables, and such other buildings and exercising tracks as may be necessary to its use for said military organization.

SEC. 3. That if at any time said military organization shall cease to exist, or should fail to use said property for military purposes, then the same shall revert to the city of Chattanooga, Tennessee, as provided in Resolution Numbered Fifty-six, approved October first, eighteen hundred and ninety. And it is further reserved to the United States the right to use said lands for military purposes at any time upon the demand of the President of the United States.

SEC. 4. That in the event of the reversion of said lands said military organization shall have the right to remove therefrom any building or buildings that may have been erected thereon at its own or other than Government expense.

Approved, February 8, 1905. [981801, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 87. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *March 8, 1905.*

1. Under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 2, 1905, entitled "An act making appropriation for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906," officers of The Military Secretary's Department who have heretofore been designated by the title of assistant adjutant general and assistant chief of the Record and Pension Office will hereafter be designated by and will bear the title of military secretary.

2. Any reference in Army Regulations to the office of adjutant general of a territorial division or department is by the act of Congress above referred to changed to military secretary of such division or department. [984025, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 88. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 9, 1905.

The 1st Battalion, Philippine Scouts, will be relieved from duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, on March 28, 1905, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, for embarkation for Manila, Philippine Islands, on the transport "Thomas," sailing March 31, 1905.

The commanding generals of the Northern and Pacific Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement, and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [94037, M. S. O.]

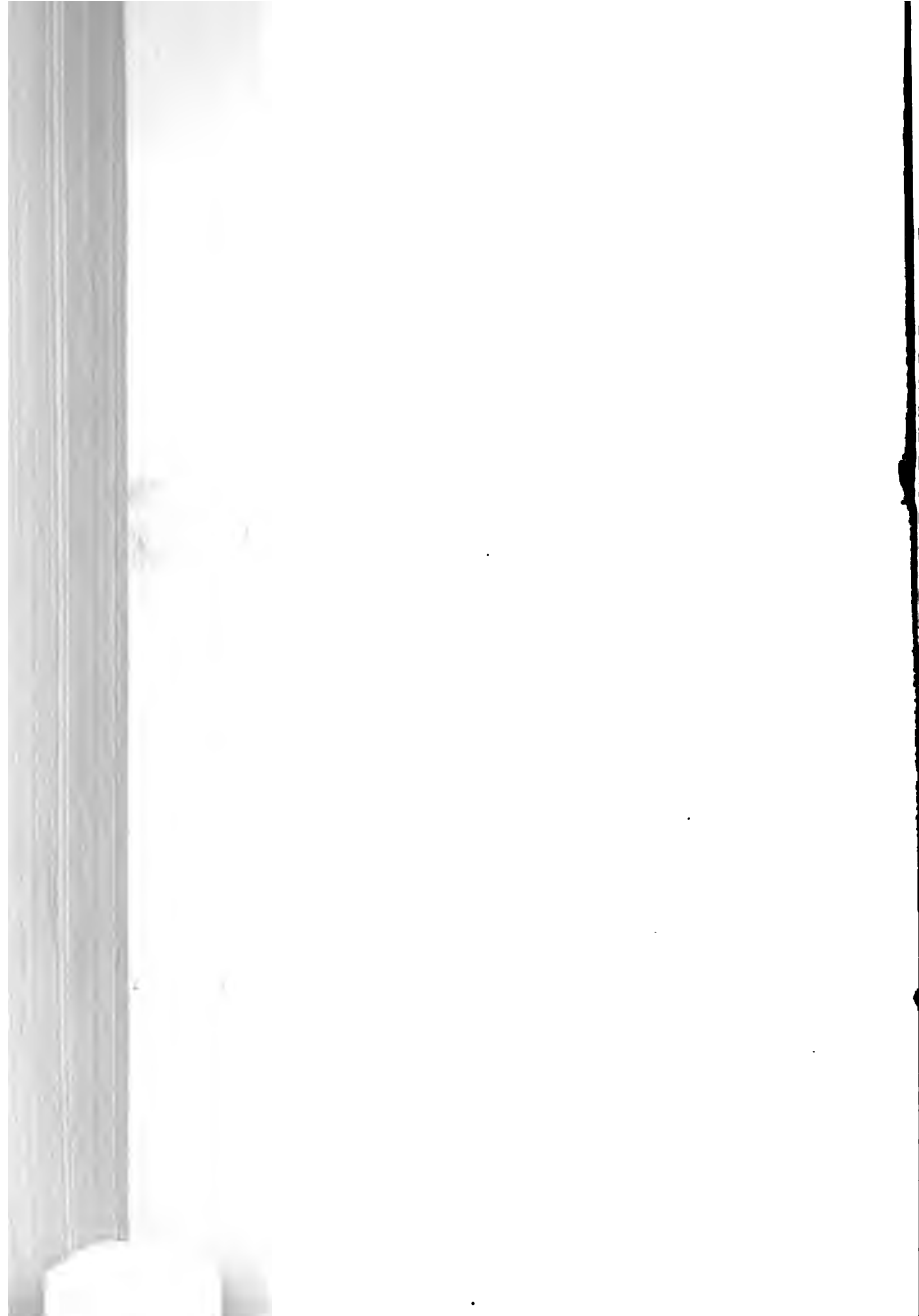
BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 39. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 14, 1905.

1. Companies A and B, 1st Battalion of Engineers, will be relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, in time to embark under the direction of the commanding general, Department of California, on the extra transport sailing for the Philippine Islands on July 1, 1905, relieving Headquarters and Companies L and M, 3d Battalion of Engineers, which upon being thus relieved, will be placed *en route* to San Francisco, California, where upon arrival they will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for station.

2. Upon the departure of Headquarters and Companies L and M, 3d Battalion of Engineers, from the Philippine Islands, Headquarters and Companies C and D, 1st Battalion of Engineers, will be relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and proceed to San Francisco, California, for station.

3. Companies I and K, 3d Battalion of Engineers, will be relieved from duty in the Philippine Islands in time to embark, if practicable, on the transport leaving July 15, 1905, for San Francisco, California, where upon arrival they will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for station.

The discharges, reenlistments, and transfers directed in General Orders, No. 144, War Department, September 2, 1904, for the 21st Infantry, will, as far as practicable, be carried out with respect to the organizations referred to in this order.

Commanding officers of outgoing organizations will make every proper effort to induce their men to make allotments of pay in favor of their dependent relatives, as provided in paragraph 1374, Army Regulations.

Attention is invited to paragraph II, General Orders, No. 46, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, May 23, 1903, directing that organizations designated for service in the Philippine Islands prior to departure from their respective stations be furnished with certificates that they have been inspected and are protected against smallpox, in order to assist the medical authorities in San Francisco, California, in determining the necessity for detention and observation.

The baggage to be transported by the outgoing organizations will be reduced to the lowest practicable limit; tableware, post exchange fixtures and similar bulky property (library and billiard table excepted), full dress uniform of enlisted men and tentage, excepting shelter tents, will not be taken. Enlisted men will not be allowed to have trunks or boxes for baggage. They will be permitted to take the usual locker (one to each man), their marching kits, and the telescopic cases of the pattern in the office of the Quartermaster General of the Army, the latter to be supplied by the Quartermaster's Department, one to each man, and their personal effects will be limited to what they can carry in these. Baggage accompanying troops by rail will be limited to 150 pounds per man, and any excess of this weight will be shipped by freight in advance. Property left at stations will be carefully packed, marked, listed in duplicate, and turned over to the Quartermaster's Department for storage.

Division and department commanders will by concert of action arrange the details of the foregoing movements, and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies.

[984000, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 40. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 15, 1905.

The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned :

An Act Making appropriation for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the Army for the year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six :

CONTINGENCIES OF THE ARMY: For all contingent expenses of the Army not otherwise provided for, and embracing all branches of the military service, including the office of the Chief of Staff, to be expended under the immediate orders of the Secretary of War, fifteen thousand dollars.

ARMY WAR COLLEGE: For expenses of the Army War College, being for the temporary hire of office rooms, purchase of the necessary stationery, office, toilet, and desk furniture, text-books, books of reference, scientific and professional papers and periodicals, binding, maps, police utensils, and for all other absolutely necessary expenses, fifteen thousand dollars.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF.

For contingent expenses of the military information division, General Staff Corps, including the purchase of law books, professional books of reference, professional and technical periodicals and newspapers, and of the military attachés at the United States embassies and legations abroad, and of the branch office of the military information division at Manila, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, ten thousand dollars: *Provided*, That section thirty-six hundred and forty-eight, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to subscriptions for foreign and

professional newspapers and periodicals to be paid for from this appropriation.

UNITED STATES SERVICE SCHOOLS: To provide means for the theoretical and practical instruction at the Artillery School, at Fort Monroe, Virginia; the School of Submarine Defense, at Fort Totten, New York; the General Service and Staff College, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and the School of application for Cavalry and Field Artillery, at Fort Riley, Kansas, by the purchase of text-books, books of reference, scientific and professional papers, the purchase of modern instruments and material for theoretical and practical instruction, and for all other absolutely necessary expenses, to be allotted in such proportions as may, in the opinion of the Secretary of War, be for the best interest of the military service, twenty-five thousand dollars.

THE MILITARY SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

CONTINGENCIES, HEADQUARTERS OF MILITARY DEPARTMENTS: For contingent expenses at the headquarters of the several military divisions and departments, including the staff corps serving thereat, being for the purchase of the necessary articles of office, toilet, and desk furniture, binding, maps, technical books of reference, professional and technical newspapers and periodicals, and police utensils, to be allotted by the Secretary of War, and to be expended in the discretion of the several military divisions and department commanders, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

UNDER THE CHIEF OF ARTILLERY.

SCHOOL OF SUBMARINE DEFENSE, FORT TOTTEN, NEW YORK: For incidental expenses of school and depot, including chemicals, stationery, hardware, extra-duty pay to soldiers necessarily employed for periods not less than ten days as artificers on work in addition to and not strictly in line with their military duties, such as carpenters, blacksmiths, draftsmen, printers, lithographers, photographers, engine drivers, telegraph operators, teamsters, wheelwrights, masons, machinists, painters, overseers, laborers, office furniture and fixtures, machinery, and unforeseen expenses, five thousand five hundred dollars.

For purchase of material for use in instruction of artillery troops in their special duties in connection with the loading and planting of submarine mines, one thousand dollars.

For purchase of special apparatus and for experimental purposes of the department of electricity, mines, and mechanism, Fort Totten, New York, two thousand dollars.

For purchase of special apparatus and for experimental purposes of the department of chemistry and explosives, Fort Totten, New York, two thousand dollars.

For purchase of special apparatus for electrician sergeants division, school of submarine defense, Fort Totten, New York, three thousand dollars.

For purchase and binding of professional books of recent date treating of military and scientific subjects for library of school of submarine defense, and for use of school, one thousand five hundred dollars.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER.

SIGNAL SERVICE OF THE ARMY: For expenses of the Signal Service of the Army, as follows: Purchase, equipment, and repair of field electric telegraphs, signal equipments and stores, binocular glasses, telescopes, heliostats, and other necessary instruments, including necessary meteorological instruments for use on target ranges; war balloons; telephone apparatus (exclusive of exchange service) and maintenance of the same; electrical installations and maintenance at military posts; maintenance and repair of military telegraph lines and cables, including salaries of civilian employees, supplies, and general repairs, and other expenses connected with the duty of collecting and transmitting information for the Army, by telegraph or otherwise, two hundred and eight thousand dollars.

REPAIR OF DEEP-SEA MILITARY CABLES: For materials and expenses for repair of interrupted deep-sea military cables, to be available until expended, fifty thousand dollars.

For continuing the cable from Valdez, Prince William Sound, to Seward, at the head of Resurrection Bay, Alaska, ninety-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, this money to be immediately available.

PAY OF OFFICERS OF THE LINE.

For pay of officers of the line, five million three hundred and sixty-nine thousand two hundred and forty dollars.

For pay of officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, nine hundred thousand dollars.

PAY OF ENLISTED MEN.

For pay of enlisted men of all grades, including recruits, nine million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For additional pay for length of service, one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

ENGINEER BATTALION.

Two hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars.

Additional for length of service, thirty thousand dollars.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

One hundred and seventy-one thousand dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, twenty thousand dollars.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

Two hundred quartermaster-sergeants, at four hundred and eight dollars each, eighty-one thousand six hundred dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, nineteen thousand two hundred dollars.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

Two hundred post commissary-sergeants, at four hundred and eight dollars each, eighty-one thousand six hundred dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, nineteen thousand two hundred dollars.

ELECTRICIANS, ARTILLERY CORPS.

Twenty-five master electricians, at nine hundred dollars each, and one hundred electrician sergeants, at four hundred and eight dollars each, sixty-three thousand three hundred dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, four thousand and eighty dollars.

SIGNAL CORPS.

Thirty-six master signal electricians, at nine hundred dollars each, thirty-two thousand four hundred dollars.

One hundred and thirty-two first-class sergeants, at five hundred and forty dollars each, seventy-one thousand two hundred and eighty dollars.

One hundred and forty-four sergeants, at four hundred and eight dollars each, fifty-eight thousand seven hundred and fifty-two dollars.

Twenty-four cooks, at two hundred and forty dollars each, five thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars.

One hundred and fifty-six corporals, at two hundred and forty dollars each, thirty-seven thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

Five hundred and fifty-two first-class privates, at two hundred and four dollars each, one hundred and twelve thousand six hundred and eight dollars.

One hundred and sixty-eight privates, at one hundred and fifty-six dollars each, twenty-six thousand two hundred and eight dollars.

In all, three hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and forty-eight dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, eighteen thousand dollars.

HOSPITAL CORPS.

Seven hundred and seventy thousand four hundred dollars.

Additional pay for length of service, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

PAY TO CLERKS, MESSENGERS, AND LABORERS AT HEADQUARTERS OF DIVISIONS, AND DEPARTMENTS AND OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF.

One chief clerk, at the office of the Chief of Staff, two thousand dollars per annum.

Six clerks at one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum.

Thirteen clerks at one thousand six hundred dollars each per annum.

Twenty-six clerks at one thousand four hundred dollars each per annum.

Seventy clerks at one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum.

Ninety-five clerks at one thousand dollars each per annum.

Two clerks at nine hundred dollars each per annum.

One clerk at seven hundred and twenty dollars per annum.

Two messengers at eight hundred and forty dollars each per annum.

Sixty-nine messengers at seven hundred and twenty dollars each per annum.

Two messengers at six hundred dollars each per annum.

One laborer at six hundred and sixty dollars per annum.

One laborer at four hundred and eighty dollars per annum.

In all, three hundred and five thousand two hundred and twenty dollars.

And said clerks and messengers and laborers shall be employed and assigned by the Secretary of War to the offices and positions in which they are to serve: *Provided*. That no clerk, messenger, or laborer at headquarters of divisions, departments, or office of the chief of staff, shall be assigned to duty with any bureau in the War Department.

FOR PAY OF OFFICERS OF THE STAFF CORPS DIVISIONS, AND DEPARTMENTS.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT: For pay of the Adjutant-General of the Army, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Military Secretary's Department, ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, twenty-seven thousand dollars.

In all, one hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred dollars.

Provided, That any vacancy that shall occur in the office of the Assistant Chief of the Record and Pension Office previous to July first, nineteen hundred and five, shall be filled by the appointment of a captain of the line of the Army, and vacancies thereafter occurring shall not be filled, and the offices now designated by the title of Assistant Chief of the Record and Pension Office and by the title of Assistant Adjutant-General, shall hereafter be designated by the title of Military Secretary.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Inspector-General's Department, fifty thousand five hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, sixteen thousand dollars.

In all, sixty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS: For pay of officers in the Corps of Engineers, three hundred and sixty thousand dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, ninety thousand eight hundred and ten dollars.

In all, four hundred and fifty thousand eight hundred and ten dollars.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Ordnance Department, one hundred and forty thousand dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, thirty thousand dollars.

In all, one hundred and seventy thousand dollars.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Quartermaster's Department, two hundred and twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, sixty-one thousand seven hundred and twenty-three dollars.

In all, two hundred and eighty-five thousand two hundred and twenty-three dollars.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Subsistence Department, one hundred and thirty-nine thousand five hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, twenty-eight thousand five hundred dollars.

In all, one hundred and sixty-eight thousand dollars.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Medical Department, six hundred and thirty-five thousand four hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, one hundred and eight thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars. In all, seven hundred and forty-three thousand seven hundred and seventy-six dollars.

PAY DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Pay Department, one hundred and twenty-eight thousand dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, twenty-four thousand two hundred and sixty dollars.

In all, one hundred and fifty-two thousand two hundred and sixty dollars.

JUDGE-ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT: For pay of officers in the Judge-Advocate-General's Department, forty thousand dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, five thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

In all, forty-five thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

SIGNAL CORPS: For pay of the officers of the Signal Corps, ninety-four thousand eight hundred dollars.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, eighteen thousand five hundred and twenty dollars.

In all, one hundred and thirteen thousand three hundred and twenty dollars.

• RETIRED OFFICERS.

For pay of officers on the retired list and for officers who may be placed thereon during the current year, two million one hundred and fifty-eight thousand three hundred and

twenty-four dollars and seventy-one cents: *Provided*, That retired officers of the Army above the grade of major, heretofore or hereafter assigned to active duty, shall hereafter receive their full retired pay and shall receive no further pay or allowances from the United States: *Provided further*, That a colonel or lieutenant-colonel so assigned shall receive the full pay and allowances of a major on the active list.

For additional pay to such officers for length of service, to be paid with their current monthly pay, five hundred thousand dollars.

In all, two million six hundred and fifty-eight thousand three hundred and twenty-four dollars and seventy-one cents.

RETIRED ENLISTED MEN.

For pay of the enlisted men of the Army on the retired list, eight hundred and seventy-two thousand five hundred and twenty-three dollars.

MISCELLANEOUS.

For pay of not exceeding one hundred hospital matrons, twelve thousand dollars.

For pay of one Superintendent Nurse Corps, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For one hundred nurses, fifty-five thousand and twenty dollars.

For pay of forty-two veterinarians, at one thousand five hundred dollars each, sixty-three thousand dollars.

For thirty dental surgeons, fifty-six thousand one hundred and sixty dollars.

For pay of ninety paymasters' clerks, one hundred and thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight dollars and twelve cents.

For pay of paymasters' messengers, fifteen thousand dollars.

For traveling expenses of paymasters' clerks and expert accountant of the Inspector-General's Department, fifteen thousand dollars.

For expenses of courts-martial, courts of inquiry, military commissions, and compensation of reporters and witnesses attending the same, twenty thousand dollars.

For additional pay to officer in charge of public buildings and grounds at Washington, District of Columbia, one thousand dollars.

For commutation of quarters to commissioned officers on duty, without troops, at stations where there are no public quarters, two hundred and ninety thousand dollars.

For travel allowance to enlisted men on discharge, one million five hundred thousand dollars.

For clothing not drawn due to enlisted men on discharge, six hundred thousand dollars.

For interest on soldiers' deposits, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, and so much as may be necessary to pay back such deposits.

For pay of translator and librarian of the military information division, General Staff Corps, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For pay of expert accountant for the Inspector-General's Department, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For mileage to officers and contract surgeons when authorized by law, four hundred thousand dollars.

For pay of contract surgeons, three hundred thousand dollars.

For additional twenty per centum increase on pay of enlisted men serving in the Philippine Islands, the Island of Guam, Alaska, China, and Panama, five hundred and thirty-three thousand four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty-one cents.

For additional ten per centum increase on pay of commissioned officers serving in the Philippine Islands, the Island of Guam, Alaska, China, and Panama, one hundred and sixty-seven thousand four hundred and twenty-six dollars and thirty cents.

For pay of one computer for artillery board, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry, composed of two battalions of four companies each.

Pay of officers of the line, forty-four thousand four hundred dollars.

For additional pay for length of service, six thousand five hundred dollars.

Pay of enlisted men, ninety-five thousand one hundred and forty-eight dollars.

PHILIPPINE SCOUTS.

Pay of officers of the line: Fifty first lieutenants, eighty thousand dollars.

Fifty second lieutenants, seventy-five thousand dollars.

Additional for length of service, thirty-four thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars.

Noncommissioned officers and privates, fifty companies, four hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

All the money hereinbefore appropriated for pay of the Army and miscellaneous shall be disbursed and accounted for by officers of the Pay Department as pay of the Army, and for that purpose shall constitute one fund: *Provided*, That hereafter all the accounts of individual paymasters shall be analyzed under the several heads of the appropriation and recorded in detail by the Paymaster-General of the Army before said accounts are forwarded to the Treasury Department for final audit, and the Secretary of War may hereafter authorize the assignment to duty in the office of the Paymaster-General, not to exceed five paymasters' clerks, now authorized by law.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

Purchase of subsistence supplies: For issue, as rations, to troops, civil employees when entitled thereto, hospital matrons and nurses, general prisoners of war (including Indians held by the Army as prisoners, but for whose subsistence appropriation is not otherwise made), and to military prisoners at posts; for sales to officers and enlisted men of the Army; for authorized issues of candles; of toilet articles, barbers', laundry, and tailors' materials; for use of general prisoners confined at military posts without pay or allowances, and recruits at recruiting stations; of matches for lighting public fires and lights at posts and stations and in the field; of flour used for paste in target practice; of salt and vinegar for public animals; of issues to Indians employed with the Army, without pay, as guides

and scouts, and for toilet paper for use by enlisted men at posts, camps, rendezvous, and offices where water-closets are provided with sewer connections. For payments: For meals for recruiting parties and recruits; for hot coffee, canned meats, and baked beans for troops traveling, when it is impracticable to cook their rations; for scales, weights, measures, utensils, tools, stationery, blank books and forms, printing, advertising, commercial newspapers, use of telephones, office furniture; for temporary buildings, cellars, and other means of protecting subsistence supplies (when not provided by the Quartermaster's Department); for coffee roasters; for commissary chests, complete, and for renewal of their outfits; for field desks of commissaries; for extra pay to enlisted men employed on extra duty in the Subsistence Department for periods of not less than ten days, at rates fixed by law; for compensation of civilians employed in the Subsistence Department, and for other necessary expenses incident to the purchase, care, preservation, issue, sale, and accounting for subsistence supplies for the Army; for the payment of commutation of rations to the cadets at the United States Military Academy in lieu of the regular established ration at the rate of thirty cents per ration; and for the payment of the regulation allowances of commutation in lieu of rations to enlisted men on furlough; to ordnance sergeants on duty at ungarrisoned posts; to enlisted men and male and female nurses when stationed at places where rations in kind can not be economically issued, and when traveling on detached duty where it is impracticable to carry rations of any kind; to enlisted men selected to contest for places or prizes in department and army rifle competitions while traveling to and from places of contest; and to male and female nurses on leaves of absence; for subsistence of the masters, officers, crews, and employees of the vessels of the army transport service; for difference between the cost of the ration at twenty-three cents per day and the amount of thirty-eight cents per day to be expended by commissaries on request of medical officers for special diet to enlisted patients in hospital (except that at the general hospital at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, the difference between the cost

of the ration at twenty-three cents and fifty cents per day, is authorized) who are too sick to be subsisted on the army ration; for difference between the cost of the ration at twenty-three cents and the cost of rations differing in whole or in part from the ordinary ration, to be issued to enlisted men in camp in the United States during periods of recovery from low conditions of health consequent upon service in unhealthy regions or in debilitating climates (to be expended only under special authority of the Secretary of War); and for ice to organizations of enlisted men stationed at such places as the Secretary of War may determine; in all, six million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, and accounted for as "Subsistence of the Army," and for that purpose to constitute one fund.

For extraordinary expense of subsistence of West Point cadets while attending inaugural ceremony, to be immediately available, one thousand and eighty dollars.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

REGULAR SUPPLIES: Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department, including their care and protection, consisting of stoves and heating apparatus required for heating offices, hospitals, barracks and quarters, and recruiting stations; also ranges and stoves, and appliances for cooking and serving food, and repair and maintenance of such heating and cooking appliances; of fuel and lights for enlisted men, including recruits, guards, hospitals, storehouses, and offices, and for sale to officers, and including also fuel and engine supplies required in the operation of modern batteries at established posts; for post bakeries; for ice machines and their maintenance where required for the health and comfort of the troops, and for cold storage; for the necessary furniture, text-books, paper, and equipment for the post schools and libraries; for the tableware and mess furniture for kitchens and mess halls, each and all for the enlisted men, including recruits; of forage in kind for the horses, mules, and oxen of the Quartermaster's Department at the several posts and stations and with the armies in the field, and for the horses of the several

regiments of cavalry, the batteries of artillery, and such companies of infantry and scouts as may be mounted, and for the authorized number of officers' horses, including bedding for the animals; and nothing in the Act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and six or any other Act shall hereafter be held or construed so as to deprive officers of the Army, wherever on duty in the military service of the United States, of forage, bedding, shoeing, or shelter for their authorized number of horses, or of any means of transportation or maintenance therefor for which provision is made by the terms of this Act; of straw for soldiers' bedding, and of stationery, including blank books for the Quartermaster's Department, certificates for discharged soldiers, blank forms for the Pay and Quartermaster's departments, and for printing department orders and reports, five million dollars: *Provided*, That no part of the appropriations for the Quartermaster's Department shall be expended on printing unless the same shall be done by contract after due notice and competition, except in such cases as the emergency will not admit of the giving notice of competition and in cases where it is impracticable to have the necessary printing done by contract the same may be done, with the approval of the Secretary of War, by the hire of the necessary labor for the purpose.

For the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, whenever ice machines, steam laundries, and electric plants shall not come in competition with private enterprise for sale to the public and in the opinion of the Secretary of War it becomes necessary to the economical use and administration of such ice machines, steam laundries, and electric plants as have been or may hereafter be established in pursuance of law, surplus ice may be disposed of, laundry work may be done for other branches of the Government, and surplus electric light and power may be sold on such terms and in accordance with such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of War: *Provided*, That the funds received from such sales and in payment for such laundry work shall be used to defray the cost of

operation of said ice, laundry, and electric plants; and the sales and expenditures herein provided for shall be accounted for in accordance with the methods prescribed by law, and any sums remaining, after such cost of maintenance and operation have been defrayed, shall be deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the appropriation from which the cost of operation of such plant is paid.

For the purchase of the necessary instruments, office furniture, stationery, and other authorized articles required for the equipment and use of the officers' schools at the several military posts, fifteen thousand dollars.

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES: Postage; cost of telegrams on official business received and sent by officers of the Army; extra pay to soldiers employed on extra duty, under the direction of the Quartermaster's Department, in the erection of barracks, quarters, and storehouses, in the construction of roads, and other constant labor for periods of not less than ten days, and as clerks for post quartermasters at military posts, and for prison overseers at posts designated by the War Department for the confinement of general prisoners; for expenses of expresses to and from frontier posts and armies in the field, of escorts to paymasters and other disbursing officers, and to trains where military escorts can not be furnished; expenses of the interment of officers killed in action or who die when on duty in the field, or at military posts or on the frontiers, or when traveling under orders, and of noncommissioned officers and soldiers; and in all cases where such expenses would have been lawful claims against the Government, reimbursement may be made of expenses heretofore or hereafter incurred by individuals of burial and transportation of remains of officers, including acting assistant surgeons, not to exceed the amount now allowed in the cases of officers, and for the reimbursement in the cases of enlisted men not exceeding the amount now allowed in their cases, may be paid out of the proper funds appropriated by this Act, and the disbursing officers shall be credited with such reimbursement heretofore made; but hereafter no reimbursement shall be made of such expenses incurred prior to the twenty-first day of April, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight; author-

ized office furniture, hire of laborers in the Quartermaster's Department, including the hire of interpreters, spies, or guides for the Army; compensation of clerks and other employees to the officers of the Quartermaster's Department, and incidental expenses of recruiting; for the apprehension, securing, and delivering of deserters, including escaped military prisoners, and the expenses incident to their pursuit; and no greater sum than fifty dollars for each deserter or escaped military prisoner shall, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, be paid to any civil officer or citizen for such services and expenses; for a donation of five dollars to each dishonorably discharged prisoner upon his release from confinement, under court-martial sentence, involving dishonorable discharge; for the following expenditures required for the several regiments of cavalry, the batteries of light artillery, and such companies of infantry and scouts as may be mounted, the authorized number of officers' horses, and for the trains, to wit: Hire of veterinary surgeons, purchase of medicines for horses and mules, picket ropes, blacksmiths' tools and materials, horseshoes and blacksmiths' tools for the cavalry service, and for the shoeing of horses and mules, and such additional expenditures as are necessary and authorized by law in the movements and operations of the Army, and at military posts, and not expressly assigned to any other department, two million dollars.

HORSES FOR CAVALRY, ARTILLERY, AND ENGINEERS: For the purchase of horses for the cavalry, artillery, and engineers, and for the Indian scouts, and for such infantry and members of the Hospital Corps in field campaigns as may be required to be mounted, and the expenses incident thereto, two hundred thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the number of horses purchased under this appropriation, added to the number now on hand, shall be limited to the actual needs of the mounted service, and, unless otherwise ordered by the Secretary of War, no part of this appropriation shall be paid out for horses not purchased by contract, after competition duly invited by the Quartermaster's Department and an inspection under the direction and authority of the Secretary of War. When practicable, horses shall be pur-

chased in the open market at all military posts or stations, when needed, at a maximum price to be fixed by the Secretary of War.

BARRACKS AND QUARTERS: For barracks and quarters for troops, storehouses for the safe-keeping of military stores, for offices, recruiting stations, and for the hire of buildings and grounds for summer cantonments, and for temporary buildings at frontier stations, for the construction of temporary buildings and stables, and for repairing public buildings at established posts, including the extra-duty pay of enlisted men employed on the same: *Provided*, That no part of the moneys so appropriated shall be paid for commutation of fuel or for quarters to officers or enlisted men: *Provided further*, That the number of and total sum paid for civilian employees in the Quartermaster's Department, including those paid from the funds appropriated for regular supplies, incidental expenses, barracks and quarters, army transportation, clothing, camp and garrison equipage, shall be limited to the actual requirements of the service, and that no employee paid therefrom shall receive a salary of more than one hundred and fifty dollars per month, except upon the approval of the Secretary of War, three million four hundred and eighty-eight thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars: *Provided further*, That of this sum not to exceed six thousand dollars may be expended in the construction of a road on the military reservation of Fort Riley, Kansas, to replace a road heretofore destroyed for purpose of constructing a rifle range: *Provided further*, That hereafter no military post within the United States shall be established without the express authority of Congress.

MILITARY POST EXCHANGE: For continuing the construction, equipment, and maintenance of suitable buildings at military posts and stations for the conduct of the post exchange, school, library, reading, lunch, amusement rooms, and gymnasium, to be expended in the discretion and under the direction of the Secretary of War, three hundred and thirty-three thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That not more than forty thousand dollars of the above appropriation shall be expended at any one post or station.

BARRACKS AND QUARTERS, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS: Continuing the work of providing for the proper shelter and protection of officers and enlisted men of the Army of the United States lawfully on duty in the Philippine Islands, including the acquisition of title to building sites when necessary, and including also shelter for the animals and supplies, and all other buildings necessary for post administration purposes, two hundred and thirty thousand dollars.

TRANSPORTATION OF THE ARMY AND ITS SUPPLIES: Transportation of the Army, including baggage of the troops when moving either by land or water, and including also the transportation of recruits and recruiting parties heretofore paid from the appropriation for "Expenses of recruiting;" of supplies to the militia furnished by the War Department; of the necessary agents and employees; of clothing, camp and garrison equipage, and other quartermaster stores, from army depots or places of purchase or delivery to the several posts and army depots, and from those depots to the troops in the field; of horse equipments and subsistence stores from the places of purchase, and from the places of delivery under contract to such places as the circumstances of the service may require them to be sent; of ordnance, ordnance stores, and small arms from the foundries and armories to the arsenals, fortifications, frontier posts, and army depots; freights, wharfage, tolls, and ferriages; the purchase and hire of draft and pack animals and harness, and the purchase and repair of wagons, carts, and drays, and of ships and other vessels and boats required for the transportation of troops and supplies and for garrison purposes; for drayage and cartage at the several posts; hire of teamsters and other employees; extra-duty pay of enlisted men driving teams, repairing means of transportation, and employed as train masters, and in opening roads and building wharves; transportation of funds of the Army; the expenses of sailing public transports on the various rivers, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and hereafter no steamship in the transport service of the United States shall be sold or disposed of without the consent of Congress having been first had or obtained; for procuring water, and introducing

the same to buildings at such posts as from their situation require it to be brought from a distance, and for the disposal of sewage and drainage, and for constructing roads and wharves; for the payment of army transportation lawfully due such land-grant railroads as have not received aid in Government bonds (to be adjusted in accordance with the decisions of the Supreme Court in cases decided under such land-grant acts), but in no case shall more than fifty per centum of full amount of service be paid: *Provided*, That such compensation shall be computed upon the basis of the tariff or lower special rates for like transportation performed for the public at large, and shall be accepted as in full for all demands for such service: *Provided further*, That in expending the money appropriated by this Act, a railroad company which has not received aid in bonds of the United States, and which obtained a grant of public land to aid in the construction of its railroad on condition that such railroad should be a post route and military road, subject to the use of the United States for postal, military, naval, and other Government services, and also subject to such regulations as Congress may impose restricting the charge for such Government transportation, having claims against the United States for transportation of troops and munitions of war and military supplies and property over such aided railroads, shall be paid out of the moneys appropriated by the foregoing provision only on the basis of such rate for the transportation of such troops and munitions of war and military supplies and property as the Secretary of War shall deem just and reasonable under the foregoing provision, such rate not to exceed fifty per centum of the compensation for such Government transportation as shall at that time be charged to and paid by private parties to any such company for like and similar transportation; and the amount so fixed to be paid shall be accepted as in full for all demands for such service: *Provided further*, That the number of draft animals purchased from this appropriation, added to those now on hand, shall be limited to such numbers as are actually required for the service, twelve million dollars.

and all other necessary miscellaneous expenses of the Medical Department, six hundred thousand dollars: *Provided*, That hereafter the purchase of medicines and medical stores or the engagement of services not personal for the Medical Department of the Army may be made by the Medical Department in open market in the manner common among business men when the aggregate of the amount required does not exceed two hundred dollars, but every such purchase or employment shall be promptly reported to the Secretary of War: *Provided further*, That hereafter civilian employees of the Army stationed at military posts may, under regulations to be made by the Secretary of War, purchase necessary medical supplies when prescribed by a medical officer of the Army.

ARMY MEDICAL MUSEUM AND LIBRARY: For Army Medical Museum, preservation of specimens, and the preparation and purchase of new specimens, three thousand dollars.

For the library of the Surgeon-General's Office, including the purchase of necessary books of reference and periodicals, nine thousand dollars.

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

ENGINEER DEPOTS: For incidental expenses of the depots, including fuel, lights, chemicals, stationery, hardware, machinery, pay of civilian clerks, mechanics, and laborers: extra-duty pay to soldiers necessarily employed for periods not less than ten days as artificers on work in addition to and not strictly in the line of their military duties, such as carpenters, blacksmiths, draftsmen, printers, lithographers, photographers, engine drivers, telegraph operators, teamsters, wheelwrights, masons, machinists, painters, overseers, laborers: repairs of, and for materials to repair, public buildings, machinery, and unforeseen expenses, eleven thousand five hundred dollars.

For purchase and repair of instruments to be issued to officers of the Corps of Engineers and to officers detailed and on duty as acting engineer officers for use on public works and surveys, five thousand dollars.

Engineer School, Washington, District of Columbia: Equipment and maintenance of the Engineer School of

Application at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, including purchase of instruments, machinery, implements, models, and materials, for the use of the school and for instruction of engineer troops in their special duties as sappers and miners; for land mining, pontoniering, and signaling; for purchase and binding of professional works of recent date treating of military and civil engineering and kindred scientific subjects, for the library of the United States Engineer School; for incidental expenses of the school, including fuel, lights, chemicals, stationery, hardware, machinery, and boats; for pay of civilian clerks, draftsmen, electricians, mechanics, and laborers; for extra-duty pay to soldiers necessarily employed for periods not less than ten days as artificers on work in addition to and not strictly in the line of their military duties, such as carpenters, blacksmiths, draftsmen, printers, lithographers, photographers, engine drivers, telegraph operators, teamsters, wheelwrights, masons, machinists, painters, overseers, laborers; for repairs of, and materials to repair, public buildings, and machinery; for unforeseen expenses, for travel expenses of officers on journeys approved by the Chief of Engineers and made for the purpose of instruction: *Provided*, That the traveling expenses herein provided for shall be in lieu of mileage and other allowances; and to provide means for the theoretical and practical instruction at the Engineer School of Application, by the purchase of text-books, books of reference, scientific and professional papers, and for other absolutely necessary expenses, twenty-five thousand dollars: *Provided further*, To cover extra expense in the establishment of the Engineer School and post at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, due to difficult foundations, increased cost of labor, and other unforeseen and adverse contingencies, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to be immediately available.

For intrenching tools, instruments, and drawing materials, and for purchase and printing of engineer manuals for use in the engineer equipment of troops, fifteen thousand dollars.

For services of surveyors, draftsmen, photographers, master laborers, and clerks to engineer officers on the staff

of division, corps, and department commanders, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Total for Engineer Department, two hundred thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

ORDNANCE SERVICE: Current expenses of the Ordnance Service required to defray the current expenses at the arsenals, of receiving stores and issuing arms and other ordnance supplies; of police and office duties; of rents, tolls, fuel, light, water, and advertising; of stationery and office furniture; of tools and instruments for service; incidental expenses of the Ordnance Service and those attending practical trials and tests of ordnance, small arms, and other ordnance supplies, including purchase of publications for libraries for the Ordnance Department and payment for mechanical labor in the office of the Chief of Ordnance, three hundred thousand dollars.

ORDNANCE, ORDNANCE STORES, AND SUPPLIES: Manufacture or purchase of metallic ammunition and the materials therefor for small arms for current needs and reserve supply, and ammunition for reloading cartridges, including the cost of targets and material for target practice, ammunition for burials at the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers and its several Branches, including National Soldiers' Home in Washington, District of Columbia, and at soldiers' and sailors' State homes, and for firing the morning and evening gun at military posts prescribed by General Orders, Numbered Seventy, Headquarters of the Army, dated July twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and at National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers and its several Branches, including National Soldiers' Home in Washington, District of Columbia, and at soldiers' and sailors' State homes, including material for cartridges, bags, reworking obsolete powder, and similar items, and marksmen's medals and insignia for all arms of the service, one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For the purpose of procuring field-artillery material for the organized militia of the several States, Territories, and the District of Columbia, without cost to the said States.

Territories, or the District of Columbia, but to remain the property of the United States and to be accounted for in the manner now prescribed by law, the Secretary of War is hereby authorized, under such regulations as he may prescribe, on the requisitions of the governors of the several States and Territories or the commanding general of the militia of the District of Columbia, to issue said artillery material to the organized militia; and the sum of five hundred and sixteen thousand dollars is hereby appropriated and made immediately available for the procurement and issue of the articles constituting the same.

For manufacturing, repairing, procuring, and issuing arms at the national armories, one million seven hundred thousand dollars.

For converting muzzle-loading field guns to breech-loading guns for saluting purposes, and for necessary mounts for the same, sixteen thousand dollars.

For overhauling, cleaning, repairing, and preserving ordnance and ordnance stores in the hands of troops and at the arsenals, posts, and depots; for purchase and manufacture of ordnance stores to fill requisitions of troops; and for infantry, cavalry, and artillery equipments, including horse equipments for cavalry and artillery, one million two hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty-two dollars.

Hereafter moneys arising from deductions made from carriers on account of the loss of or damage to military stores in transit shall be credited to the proper appropriation or funds out of which such or similar stores shall be replaced and individual pieces of United States armament which are not needed on account of historical value, and can be advantageously replaced, may be sold at a price not less than their cost price, when there exist for such sale sentimental reasons adequate in the judgment of the Secretary of War or Secretary of the Navy.

NATIONAL TROPHY AND MEDALS FOR RIFLE CONTESTS: That for the purpose of furnishing a national trophy and medals and other prizes to be provided and contested for annually, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of War, said contest to be open to the Army, Navy,

Marine Corps, and the National Guard or organized militia of the several States, Territories, and of the District of Columbia, and for the cost of the trophy, prizes, and medals herein provided for, and for the promotion of rifle practice, the sum of four thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended for the purposes hereinbefore prescribed under the direction of the Secretary of War.

All funds received as the value of military stores transferred by the several staff departments of the Army to the Insular Department of the Philippines shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States and remain available during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and six for the procurement of like military stores to replace those so transferred.

Approved, March 2, 1905.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 15, 1905.

The proceedings of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, convened in this city January 28, 1905, having received the approval of the Secretary of War, the following excerpt thereof, together with the modified regulations for the national match and other competitions, are published for the information of all concerned:

EXCERPT FROM PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD.

For the year 1905, the following are the conditions of the national match:

The national match will be held at Seagirt, N. J., commencing August 24, 1905.

Open to teams of twelve men from the following:

- (a) The Army of the United States, two—one cavalry and one infantry.
- (b) The United States Navy, one.
- (c) The United States Marine Corps, one.
- (d) The United States Military Academy, one.
- (e) The United States Naval Academy, one.
- (f) The national guard or uniformed militia of the several States and Territories, including the District of Columbia, one team from each State, Territory, and the District of Columbia.
- (g) The members of each team to be officers, cadets, midshipmen, or enlisted men of the corps or organization which they represent, and to appear in the service or authorized uniform.

Kinds of fire: Slow, rapid, and skirmish.

Distances:

Slow fire—200, 600, 800, and 1,000 yards.

Rapid fire—200 and 500 yards.

Skirmish fire—2 runs.

Number of shots: Two sighting shots and ten shots for record at each range.

Positions: Standing at 200 yards and prone with head toward target at all other ranges.

Arms: United States service rifles and carbines, with not less than 3-pound trigger pull.

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Ammunition: Service cartridge as manufactured and issued by the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army.

Three days' contest:

First day—200 and 600 yards, slow fire, and 200 and 500 yards, rapid fire.

Second day—800 and 1,000 yards, slow fire.

Third day—2 skirmish runs.

Rules: Rules governing are those published in this Order.

Prizes:

1. To the team making the highest aggregate total in the three days' contest—the "National Trophy" (authorized by act of Congress), to be competed for annually, and \$300 cash.
2. The team making the second highest aggregate total—the "Hilton Trophy," presented by the late Hon. Henry Hilton, of New York, to be competed for annually, and \$200 cash.
3. The team making the third highest aggregate total—the bronze "Soldier of Marathon," presented by the commander in chief on behalf of the State of New York, to be competed for annually, and \$150 cash.
4. The team making the fourth highest aggregate total—\$100 cash.
5. The team making the fifth highest aggregate total—\$75 cash.
6. The team making the sixth highest aggregate total—\$50 cash.
7. And also a medal to each member of the winning teams.

One-third of the members actually firing on any team winning either the National Trophy, the Hilton Trophy, or the bronze Soldier of Marathon shall not be eligible to compete again as members of a contesting team for the next three consecutive competitions, the four men to be eliminated to be those who have theretofore participated in the greatest number of competitions for the National Trophy.

No person who is either a principal or alternate in the team of any State, Territory, or the District of Columbia entered in the competition of the national match shall be eligible to serve either as a principal or alternate in the team of any other State at the next yearly competition for the National Trophy.

No person shall be eligible to be entered as one of the team of any State, Territory, or the District of Columbia in the national match who does not present to the executive officer a certificate from the adjutant general of the State, Territory, or District of Columbia, to which he

belongs, showing that he has done 75 per cent of military duty during the preceding year. By the term "military duty" above referred to is meant parades, drills, encampments, and other duties of a similar nature.

In preparing estimates for expenses and transportation, the following should be provided for: 1 team captain, 1 team coach, 1 team spotter, 12 principals, and 3 alternates; 18 in all.

The Chief of Staff of the Army is the proper custodian of the National Trophy, when won by the Army; the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, when won by the Navy; the Commandant of the Marine Corps, when won by the Marine Corps; the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy, when won by the Corps of Cadets; the Superintendent, U. S. Naval Academy, when won by the Midshipmen; the adjutant general of the State or Territory, when won by the team of said State or Territory; and the commanding general, National Guard of the District of Columbia, when won by a team of the District of Columbia.

There will also be a match to be known as the "national individual match," to be open to the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, organized militia of the States and Territories and the District of Columbia, and to members of the National Rifle Association and affiliated clubs, military or civilian.

The following are the conditions of this match:

Kinds of fire:

Slow, rapid, and skirmish.

Distances:

Slow fire—200, 300, 500, and 600 yards; 10 shots.

Rapid fire—200 and 500 yards; 10 shots.

Skirmish fire—2 runs.

Positions, arms, ammunition, and rules the same as for the national team match.

No entrance fee.

Prizes:

Four gold medals and cash prizes of \$210. (A gold medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$60, \$55, \$50, and \$45.)

Four silver medals and cash prizes of \$130. (A silver medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, after the gold-medal scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$40, \$35, \$30, and \$25.)

Four bronze medals and cash prizes of \$50. (A bronze medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, after the silver-medal scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$20, \$15, \$10, and \$5.)

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$20 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in slow fire.

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$20 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in rapid fire.

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$20 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in skirmish fire.

There must be at least 36 entries for this event.

There will also be a pistol match, to be known as the "national pistol match."

The following are the conditions of this match:

Open to Army, Navy, Marine Corps, the organized militia, and to members of the National Rifle Association of America and affiliated clubs.

Distances and classes of fire:

Slow fire—20 seconds to each shot, 10 shots, 75 yards; no sighting shots.

Timed fire—20 seconds to each score of 5 shots, 10 shots, 25 and 50 yards; no sighting shots.

Rapid fire—8 seconds to each score of 5 shots, 10 shots, 15 and 25 yards; no sighting shots.

Shots to be fired in scores of 5 at each distance at each range.

Targets: Target A for slow and timed fire, and K for rapid fire.

Positions: Without body or artificial rest; one hand only to be used.

Arms: The United States service pistol, Colt's or Smith & Wesson, caliber .38; length of barrel as issued to troops; trigger pull not less than 4 pounds.

Ammunition: The service cartridge as issued by the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army.

Rules: Those governing similar matches in the U. S. Army.

Prizes:

Four gold medals and cash prizes, \$95. (A gold medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$30, \$25, \$20, and \$20.)

Four silver medals and cash prizes, \$60. (A silver medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, after the gold-medal scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$15, \$15, \$15, and \$15.)

Four bronze medals and cash prizes, \$40. (A bronze medal to each of the four competitors making the highest aggregate scores, after the silver-medal scores, and cash prizes in the order of merit as follows: \$10, \$10, \$10, and \$10.)

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$10 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in slow fire.

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$15 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in timed fire.

One gold medal and a cash prize of \$15 to the competitor making the highest aggregate score in rapid fire.

There must be at least 36 entries for this event.

The following resolutions were adopted by the board:

1. *Resolved*, That in the opinion of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, rifle practice will be greatly promoted by the formation in each State of State rifle associations to be affiliated with the National Rifle Association; and that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the adjutants general of the States and Territories and of the District of Columbia, with the request that they take steps for the organization of such associations.

2. *Resolved*, That in the opinion of this board the executive officer of the national match should always be an officer of the regular establishment.

3. *Resolved*, That the National Rifle Association be requested to prepare suitable by-laws for affiliated clubs, and when the by-laws have been approved and the clubs become affiliated, the results of the practice should be collected by the National Rifle Association and forwarded to The Military Secretary of the Army annually.

4. *Resolved*, That rifles of private makers, conforming in all respects to the following:

A. The piece must be capable of using the standard Government cartridge;

B. It must be the same length and weight;

C. It must be fitted with a sight similar in design to one of the standard military sights as adopted by the War Department;

when viewed and stamped by the National Rifle Association, shall be permitted to be used by clubs duly affiliated with the National Rifle Association for qualification as national marksmen, and in matches where the rules permit any military rifle.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.*

The following regulations have been agreed upon by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, appointed by the Secretary of War under authority of an act of Congress for the national match and other team competitions, individual matches, etc., and will, by direction of the Secretary of War, govern accordingly:

1. OFFICERS OF THE COMPETITIONS.—The executive officer will have control of the range for the conduct of the matches, and his decision shall be final.

2. The post adjutant, post quartermaster, and range officers will report to the executive officer, at his headquarters, each morning of the meeting at 8 o'clock, when the range officers will be assigned to their several stations and given their badge of office. A range officer desiring to be relieved from his post of duty will report to the executive officer, so that a substitute may be detailed. The post adjutant and post quartermaster, or their deputies, will be on duty continuously at headquarters.

3. The range officers will supervise the marking and scoring; they will see that the competitors do not evade any of the regulations; they will test the trigger pull of and examine at any time the rifles used by competitors and inspect the ammunition before the beginning of all matches, and will certify on the score cards to the scores made, after verifying same with the blackboard.

4. In individual matches the range officer will certify to the date, hour, and style of arm on the entry tickets of competitors about to begin their score, and when the score is finished he will certify to the same on both original ticket and coupon; the latter he will tear off and deposit in scorer's box, returning the original to the competitor.

5. In team matches the range officer will, at the completion of the score at each range, verify the scores on the score card with the blackboard, and see that they agree; when the match is finished he will add up the totals, certify to the correctness of same and return the card or cards to the statistical office.

6. The statistical officers will assign the competitors to targets and to order of firing, their determinations being generally made by lot. They will verify the additions of the scores as reported by the scorekeepers, grade them in order of excellence, and prepare the results for official announcement.

7. During the shooting of all team competitions, a range officer shall be detailed to the pit at each distance who

*The rules agreed upon by the national board have been adopted by the National Rifle Association of America and affiliated clubs.

shall remain in the pit until the firing at that distance is finished. One representative from each team shall be selected by the team captain at each distance (before the drawing of the targets at that distance) who shall receive from the executive officer a card directing him to remain in the target pit during the firing at the distance about to be begun. The representatives from the various teams in the target pit will call to the attention of the range officer in the pit any irregularity of marking or other matter deemed by them necessary, and the decision of the range officer on the spot as to the matter complained of will be final and binding.

8. During the progress of a match or competition, no one except the officers on duty at the range, the competitors and scorekeepers, will be permitted within the ropes without special permission of the officer in charge.

9. The squads of competitors will be stationed five yards in rear of firing point, where each competitor must remain until called by the scorekeeper or range officer to take his position at the firing point and until he has completed his score.

10. All expression on the part of the competitor of approbation or disappointment, with reference to any scores made by himself or others, must not be uttered loud enough to be heard at the firing point.

11. PROTESTS.—Protests and objections must not be directly submitted to the officer in charge, but to one of the range officers. In case a competitor considers the decision of the latter unwarranted by the facts as presented, he may appeal to the executive officer. Final appeals from decisions of the executive officer must be made in writing and forwarded through that officer to the executive committee of the National Rifle Association or the association under whose auspices the meeting is being held. In national contests an appeal may be taken from the executive committee of the National Rifle Association to the national board authorized by act of Congress, etc., whose decision shall be final.

12. SCORING AND MARKING.—Hits in the different divisions of the targets and ricochets will be signaled and recorded as prescribed in the Small Arms Firing Regulations. Ricochets count as hits.

13. The exact location of all bullet holes will be marked by a spotter, which will be shown on the target.

14. All shots fired by the competitor after he has taken his place at the firing point, and it is his turn to fire—the target being ready—will be considered in his score, even if his piece is not directed toward the target, or is accidentally discharged.

15. Shots fired upon the wrong target will be entered upon the score of the man firing as a miss.

16. In slow fire, if two shots strike a target at the same, or nearly the same time, both will be signaled, and if a shot was just fired from the firing point assigned to that target, the hit having the higher of the two values signaled will be entered in the competitor's score, and no record made of the other hit.

17. The scorekeepers will be seated close to and in the rear of the firing-point stakes, and will, as each shot is signaled, announce in an audible tone the name of the competitor, the value of the shot, and number on score card, marking same on the blackboard and competitor's card. At the conclusion of the score of each competitor the scorekeeper will repeat his name and total score, and request the range officer on duty at that target to verify the blackboard and score card (no scores will be allowed unless recorded on a blackboard by the scorer as shot).

18. Competitors must pay attention to the score as announced and recorded, so that any error may be promptly investigated. The recorded value of any shot will not be changed after the following shot has been fired, unless some special message with reference to it is received from one of the range officers in the target pit.

19. Any alteration of a scoring card must be witnessed by the officer in charge of the firing point and indorsed with his initials.

20. At all the meetings where a number of men engage in the same matches or competitive firing, the labor of the statistical officers will be greatly lightened, and the prompt announcement of the score facilitated by giving to each competitor a number by which he is known throughout the firing, if practicable.

21. In individual matches, each competitor should be given a score card stating his target and order of firing, and containing a blank space for the record of shots fired, and for the signatures of the scorer and a range officer. These score cards should be printed on cardboard, using different colors for different ranges if practicable; but for all kinds of firing employing the same color for the same distance, as, for instance: All score cards for 200 yards, yellow; for 300 yards, red; for 500 yards, blue; for 600 yards, white, etc. This rule will prevent such a mistake as a competitor shooting on a 300-yard score card, with its particular assignment of target, at 200 yards, as the scorekeeper quickly becomes familiar with the color corresponding to each distance. As scores are completed, a range officer detailed for that purpose should, without waiting for all the firing to cease, collect the records of the scores and transmit them to the statistical officers, who will enter

them into the permanent record and their totals upon the bulletin sheets prepared for that purpose.

22. In skirmish fire, after the run is completed and the signal "Cease firing" has been sounded and repeated twice, the markers will examine the targets, the range officer will record the total hits on each, and the results will be communicated by means of prepared score cards to the statistical officers. In this fire the precautions with regard to the use of a red pencil in marking shot holes will be observed.

23. **Arms.—Team matches.**—In all military matches the following arms only will be used, unless otherwise provided for in special conditions:

The United States Army magazine rifle and carbine, .30 caliber.

24. **Individual matches** (not exclusively military).—The rifles and carbines allowed in competitions are as follows:

(a) Any military rifle.

(b) Any rifle.

They must comply with the following conditions:

Any military: Any military rifle that has been viewed and stamped by the National Rifle Association in accordance with the resolution heretofore adopted for this purpose by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice. (See page 5, of this order.)

Any rifle: No restriction as to weight, caliber, sights, or trigger pull, except that rifles with less than 2 pounds trigger pull must be provided with safety lock.

25. **SIGHTS (MILITARY RIFLES).**—The aiming notch, or the aperture of the slide, may be slightly widened or opened to accommodate individual peculiarities of eyesight, but no other alteration or fling of the regular service sights, or the use of spirit levels, will be permitted. The front or rear sights may, however, be blackened according to the judgment of the competitor. The use of permanently affixed micrometers, orthoptic eyepieces, telescope sights, spirit levels, temporary shades, or any other device will not be allowed, unless specially provided for in the conditions of the match.

Competitors in team or individual matches may use field glasses or small telescopes, such as might reasonably be carried in the field as a part of a soldier's equipment.

26. **TRIGGER PULL.**—The trigger pull must always be at least 3 pounds, and will be tested (holding the barrel vertically) by a range officer, before firing, each day and at each range.

27. Competitors will submit their arms for further inspection whenever required.

28. **AMMUNITION.**—Unless the use of other ammunition is distinctly authorized, the ammunition used will be the

service cartridge for the arm, as manufactured and issued by the Ordnance Department. Any competitor having any ammunition in his belt or about his person when he takes his place at the firing stand, other than that authorized, will be immediately disbarred, and his score will not count for record.

29. **FIRING, ORDER OF, ETC.**—Military competitors will wear the service uniform, with or without blouse and with the belt. Sheds or shelters for the firer will not be permitted at the firing point at any range. Competitors must be present at the firing points punctually at the time, or in order stated on their score cards; no application on the part of a competitor for any alteration in his assignment will be entertained, except that team captains may change the order of firing of the members of their teams, if they so desire.

30. In competitions or matches embracing more than one distance, the firing will be commenced at the shortest distance, and be followed in order by each of the longer distances, the firing at the longest range being held last.

31. In competitions, slow fire in any one day will be completed for all ranges before being followed by rapid fire.

32. In individual matches that are squadded, the squadding of the competitors will be done before the beginning of the match.

33. In slow fire, the competitors will place themselves at the firing point by twos and will fire alternately, the odd number of each pair being on the right and firing first.

34. In slow fire, if, just as the shot is fired, the target is withdrawn from the firing position, the scorer at that firing point will at once report the fact to one of the range officers, who, if upon investigation is satisfied that the case is as represented, will direct that the shot fired be not considered and that the competitor fire another shot.

35. In slow fire, competitors will not be hurried in their firing, but such slight delay permitted after each shot as they may desire; provided the time of firing the total score with rifle and carbine does not exceed an average of one minute per shot for ranges of 600 yards and less, and of two minutes per shot for ranges above 600 yards, no time credit being allowed.

If an accident to a target, or any other cause over which the competitor has no control, prevents him from completing his score within a reasonable interval, he will be permitted such additional time as a range officer may decide. The executive officer shall have power to extend the time in his discretion.

36. **RAPID FIRE.**—*Target.*—F at both ranges.

Procedure.—The magazine is filled, one cartridge loaded therefrom, and the piece then held at position "ready."

At a signal given at the firing point (trumpet or telephone) the target appears, remains in sight twenty seconds at 200 yards and thirty seconds at 500 yards, then disappears. No sighting shots will be permitted. The competitor attempts to fire five shots, emptying the magazine and firing at will, without command, from the instant any portion of the target appears until it has completely disappeared. Each unfired cartridge counts as a miss. In case of a defective cartridge or disabled piece the practice is repeated.

Time is regulated at the target, the signal at the firing point being given as a warning to the noncommissioned officer, or person, in the pit in charge of the target that all is ready at the firing point for the target to appear.

Marking, rapid fire.—In rapid fire, with rifle or carbine, at the disappearing target, the noncommissioned officer, or person, in charge of the target, at the signal from the firing point, commands "Ready." As soon as all is in readiness to run up the target, he commands "Up." Exactly twenty seconds after the target is in position he commands "Down," having preceded this command two or three seconds by the warning command "Ready." The target must be exposed and withdrawn as quickly as possible.

The number and value of the hits are signaled with the usual disks in the usual manner after the score has been fired, the number of misses being carefully indicated by the flag as a check on the accuracy of the number of hits signaled.

When the single rolling, or Cushing, target is used the method of marking will be varied to meet the conditions.

In rapid fire with the pistol at the disappearing target the manipulation of the target is as in rapid fire with the rifle or carbine, except that the target remains exposed ten, or eight, seconds instead of twenty.

37. Targets in fixed-distance team firing will be drawn at each range by team captains at the executive officer's headquarters.

38. Targets for skirmish firing, where teams run together, will be drawn by competitors immediately preceding the commencement of the runs. In skirmish competitions by teams, targets will be assigned by a range officer.

39. No two competitors shall shoot in any competition with the same rifle; nor shall a competitor change his rifle during any competition, unless his first rifle has become unserviceable through an accident, which must be verified by a range officer. Wilful or intentional violation of this regulation will warrant the officer in charge, in his discretion, excluding the offender from further competition.

40. *CLEANING.*—Pieces can only be cleaned upon the completion of a score. In competitions at more than one distance cleaning will be permitted between distances. While,

with these restrictions, cleaning will be permitted, it will not be required. Cleaning will be allowed between shots when it is so specified in the conditions of the match.

41. *Revolver and pistol*.—In match shooting, competitors may clean their arms between scores or between series of shots, providing such cleaning does not delay the firing beyond the limit provided for in the conditions of the match.

42. *COACHING*.—No coaching or communication of any kind with men at the firing point will be permitted except by the team captain, and then only for the sole purpose of preventing infractions of the conditions of the match.

When competing for the Dryden Trophy, or in other special team matches, coaching is authorized.

43. In team matches, at least three yards in rear of each firing point, there will be permitted one team captain, one coach, and one spotter, who may observe the firing of the members of their team and check the value of each shot as called by the scorer. The captain, coach, and spotter shall not be permitted to shield a competitor from the wind, throw a shade upon his sight, or aid him in any other way.

44. In skirmish competitions by teams, the teams will run under the command of the team captain, who may coach his men on the run. One or more range officers will accompany each team to see that the conditions of the match are not violated.

45. *SIGHTING SHOTS*.—In all matches pool targets shall be abolished, and two sighting shots at each range, slow fire, provided for, which must be taken. Whenever, because of storm, or for any other reason, the executive officer shall postpone an unfinished match, two sighting shots will be allowed on the unfinished score of each man when the match is resumed.

46. *TIES*.—Ties will be decided as follows:

(a) In individual shooting, at known distances—

- (1) When the firing takes place at more than one distance, by the total score made at the longest distance, and if still a tie, and there be three or more distances in the competition, by the total score at the second distance, and so on for each of the successive distances.
- (2) By the fewest misses in the entire score.
- (3) By the fewest outers in the entire score.
- (4) By the fewest inners in the entire score.
- (5) If still a tie, by inverse order of shots, counting singly from the last to the first.
- (6) By firing single shots at the longest distance.

- (7) In case a tie is of the highest possible score, extra shots will be fired by those tying until the tie is broken.
- (b) In team shooting at known distances—
- (1) By the aggregate of the total scores made at the different distances in inverse order.
 - (2) By the fewest misses in the entire score.
 - (3) By the fewest outers in the entire score.
 - (4) By the fewest inners in the entire score.
 - (5) By the totals, for the team, of the final shot of each competitor.
 - (6) By the totals, for the team, of these successive closing shots in inverse order.

When the ties are to be divided, it must be so stated in the conditions of the match; but the winners may by mutual consent divide the prizes.

47. Ties, when rapid fire is included in the match, will be decided as follows:

(a) In slow and rapid fire—

- (1) By the highest total score made in rapid fire; if still a tie, by the highest score made in rapid fire at 500 yards; if still a tie, by the highest score in rapid fire at 300 yards; if still a tie, by the highest score in rapid fire at 200 yards. In the same manner the decision will be regulated by the highest total scores in succession made at 600, 500, 300, and 200 yards, slow fire.
- (2) By the fewest misses in rapid fire.
- (3) By the greatest number of hits on figure in rapid fire.
- (4) By the fewest misses in slow fire.
- (5) By the fewest outers in slow fire.
- (6) By the fewest inners in slow fire.
- (7) If still a tie, by firing single shots at the longest range, slow fire.

48. In skirmish fire—

- (1) By the greatest number of penalties imposed.
- (2) By the greatest number of hits.
- (3) By the fewest hits in kneeling figures.
- (4) If still a tie, a special run in skirmish fire.

49. Ties, when rapid and skirmish fires are included in the aggregate score, will be decided by giving precedence to the competitor having the best total score in the skirmish fire. If the scores in the skirmish fire are also of the same total, the order of merit for that fire (and therefore the final order of merit) will be determined in accordance with paragraph 47.

50. **PENALTIES.**—No two competitors shall in any match or competition use the same rifle, unless it is a special condition of the match, nor shall a competitor change his rifle during any competition, unless it has become unserviceable, which fact must be verified by a range officer. Wilful violation of this regulation will warrant the executive officer (in his discretion) in excluding the competitor from further competition.

51. Any person, whether a competitor or not, interfering with any of the firing squads, or annoying them in any way, will be warned to desist, and if he repeats the offense he will be at once ordered off the range grounds.

52. Any competitor—

(a) Who shall fire in a name other than that under which he entered, or who shall fire twice for the same prize, unless permitted by the conditions of the competition to do so;

(b) Who shall be guilty of any conduct considered by the executive committee to be discreditable;

(c) Who shall be guilty of falsifying his score or being accessory thereto;

(d) Who shall offer a bribe of any kind to any employee or other person;

(e) Who shall be detected in an evasion of the conditions prescribed for the conducting of any match;

(f) Who shall refuse to obey any instructions of the executive officer or a range officer;

(g) Who shall be guilty of disorderly conduct or being intoxicated, shall, upon the offense being proved to the satisfaction of the executive committee, forfeit all his entrance fees, be forever disqualified from competing at any time in the meetings of the Association, and shall not be entitled to have any prize won by him at the time of meeting awarded to him.

53. **POSITIONS.**—*Rifle and carbine.*—The following positions only will be permitted in competitive firing: At 300 yards, the standing position, the body and arm being free from any artificial support; at 300 yards, sitting or kneeling; at 500, 600, 800, 900, and 1,000 yards, prone, with head toward target.

The use of the strap as a sling permitted at all ranges provided it is attached to its proper swivels and is used only in connection with the arm of the competitor as a brace.

54. **ENTRIES.**—Competitors who make entries for any match will be ruled out and will forfeit their entrance fees if not on the range at the hour designated for the match.

55. Entry tickets must be marked with the purchaser's name at the time of the purchase; they may be transferred

to another name with the consent of the executive officer; any erasure or substitution of a purchaser's name on a ticket, not made by the statistical officer, will forfeit the ticket.

56. All entries made in individual matches after the opening of the meeting will be post entries.

57. No entry fee will be refunded unless the competitor is prevented by sickness from appearing on the range, and then only on order of the executive officer.

58. Team captains can expedite matters by securing from the statistical officer blank forms of entry in advance, and having them filled out with the names of the team, which should be written plainly and in full, with military rank, if any.

59. Entry tickets for individual matches will not be exchanged under any circumstances.

60. All entries not otherwise provided for in the program must be made not later than thirty minutes before the hour for calling the match.

61. All civilians, as well as members of the organized militia, Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, are eligible to compete in all the individual matches that are open to everybody, provided they shoot with the arm called for in the conditions of the match.

62. HANDICAP.—In all team and individual matches the carbine will be allowed a handicap of 4 per cent at 600 yards; 6 per cent at 800, 900, and 1,000 yards.

63. No handicap will be allowed unless noted on score card by a range officer. Competitors must see that this is done.

64. CHALLENGES.—If a competitor desires to challenge his shot just fired, either for alleged incorrect marking or from failure of any record from the pit of such shot, he must pay 50 cents. If competitor's challenge is sustained, the money will be returned to him. If a competitor in the national match desires to challenge his shot just fired for alleged incorrect marking, he must pay \$1. If the competitor's challenge is sustained, the money will be returned to him.

65. HOURS OF FIRING.—Assembly will be sounded and firing begun at 8 o'clock a. m. and "Cease firing" will be sounded at 6 p. m., unless otherwise ordered by the executive officer.

66. The range will be closed for an hour in the middle of the day for lunch.

67. SKIRMISH FIRING.—In skirmish fire, twenty cartridges will be issued before each run to each competitor and the latter will not be permitted to have any other cartridges about his person. If any cartridge fails to explode it will be replaced by the scorer with a new one. If a gun becomes disabled, the incomplete score will not be considered,

but the competitor will repeat the run. Hits, direct or ricochet, will be scored.

68. In individual skirmish competitions no two competitors from the same team shall be allowed to skirmish on adjoining targets.

69. SKIRMISH FIRING.—In skirmish competitions the group target "G" will be used, one group for each skirmisher. Targets in line, with intervals of not less than 5 yards between centers of groups. The value of shots: hit, direct or ricochet, on lying figure, 5; kneeling, 4; miss, 3. Hits on or within the steel frame only count.

70. In skirmish competitions, each competitor will fire twenty shots, 700 to 200 yards. Six halts at the following distances: 600, 500, 400, 350, 300, and 200 yards. At all distances, with the exception of the 200 yards, the time limit will be thirty seconds, and at the 200 yards twenty seconds. Any authorized position for firing will be permitted.

71. SKIRMISH FIRE.—*Target*.—Group target G. One group for each skirmisher. Targets in line, with intervals of not less than 5 yards between centers of groups.

Procedure.—A squad of convenient number is formed in line opposite the targets at a distance exceeding 600 yards; twenty rounds of ammunition per man are issued; magazines are filled and cut off, and, in accordance with Infantry Drill Regulations, the line is advanced in quick time to the 600-yard firing line. Here the line is halted and each skirmisher, without further command, takes one of the authorized positions and at the preparatory command for firing loads his piece from the belt.

The commands for firing are: 1. *Fire two rounds*, 2. *At 600 yards*, 3. *At the targets*, 4. *COMMENCE FIRING*. After the command of execution the firing opens at will and each skirmisher fires two rounds within the time limit of thirty seconds, the piece being used as a single-loader. At the expiration of time limit the command "Cease firing" will have been given.

The firing having ceased, the advance is resumed and continued to the 500-yard firing line, where two rounds are fired in the same manner as at 600 yards; the advance then continues to the 400 and 350 yard firing lines, at each of which three rounds are similarly fired, and then to 300 and 200 yards, at each of which five rounds are fired from the magazine. The time limit at 200 yards, it should be noted, is twenty instead of thirty seconds, as at the other halts. Commands, in all cases, conform to the Infantry Drill Regulations.

The advance between 600 and 200 yards will be, between any two successive halts, the first half at quick and the second at double time; and it is enjoined upon the range

officer to see that the double time is maintained as nearly as possible according to Infantry Drill Regulations, i. e., length of step 36 inches, and cadence 180 steps per minute. The firing is completed at 200 yards.

Pieces will not be loaded during the advance, but only at the preparatory command for firing after a halt.

The time limit extends from the last note of "commence firing" to the last note of "cease firing." The range officer will see that the signals are properly sounded, not permitting the last note of "cease firing" to be unduly prolonged. For each shot fired by the competitor before the commencement or after the close of the time limit, or for each shot fired in excess of the number ordered for the halt, five points will be deducted from his score. Five points will also be deducted for a failure to fire the number prescribed for a halt. A defective cartridge may be replaced by a file user, but must be turned in before the advance is resumed. The substituted cartridge must be fired, if at all, at the halt where the misfire occurred and before "cease firing" shall have been sounded. A piece disabled through no fault of the firer entitles the latter to another run.

Competitors will not be permitted to advance nearer than 200 yards from the targets.

When more than twenty hits are found in a group target, the score will not be counted, and the competitor will make another run.

In this class of fire the muzzle of the rifle must be pointed toward the targets when marching or at the halts.

72. In skirmish competitions, where teams run as teams, the team captain will direct the firing of the team under the supervision of a range officer. The aggregate value of all shots in all the figures of the groups will be the team's total for the run.

73. In skirmish competitions, where teams run together, the firing will be directed by a range officer detailed for that purpose. Each competitor will be assigned to a group target. No two competitors from the same team will be allowed to skirmish on adjoining groups.

74. GENERAL.—In case any member of a team becomes ill during the shooting, the executive officer may, in his discretion, upon certificate of the post surgeon, permit the substitution of an alternate member of the same team in place of the one taken ill.

75. Prizes not claimed within thirty days after having been won shall be forfeited to the Association.

76. No arms shall be loaded except at the firing point, the muzzle of the rifle, pistol, or revolver being kept in the direction of the target till the arm is either discharged or unloaded.

77. These regulations and such special rules or directions as the executive officer may give must be rigidly complied with by competitors and all other persons upon the range grounds.

78. Competitors and all others connected with the competitions must make themselves acquainted with the foregoing regulations as well as with the conditions of competitive firing in which they may be participating, as the plea of ignorance of either of them will not be entertained [981802 M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR :

ADNA R. CHAFFEE.

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL :

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 42. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *March 18, 1905.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 14, January 21, 1905, and No. 16, January 25, 1905, Department of the Columbia, and of which Major JAMES B. GOE, 19th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant WILLIAM TAYLOR, battalion adjutant, 10th Infantry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, did absent himself from his station and duties without leave from competent authority from about 12 o'clock p. m., September 24, 1904, to about 4:00 o'clock p. m., September 27, 1904. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington.”

Specification 2d—“In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, having been duly placed in arrest by his commanding officer, Colonel Joseph F. Huston, 19th Infantry, and having been duly notified by his said commanding officer to confine himself to the limits of the post at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, pursuant to the said arrest, did break the said arrest by absenting himself from the said post of Vancouver Barracks, Washington, from September 30, 1904, to December 29, 1904. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, on or about the dates above specified.”

Specification 3d—“In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, did, on or about the 23d day of May, 1904, at Seattle, Washington, falsely, fraudently and designedly represent to one R. W. Barto, of Seattle, Washington, that his, Lieutenant *Boon's*, father had recently died, that he, Lieutenant *Boon*, was the then owner of a then actual, present and fixed undivided interest in his late father's estate in the State of Texas, that the said estate, left by his father, was very large

and valuable, and that his, Lieutenant *Boon's*, interest therein was large and of the value of many thousands of dollars, which representations were severally and altogether false, well known by him, the said Lieutenant *Boon*, to be false, and were made with the intent to defraud one Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, of Seattle, Washington, and her agent, the said R. W. Barto; and he, the said Lieutenant *Boon*, did, at Seattle, Washington, on or about the 23rd day of May, 1904, by means of the said false representations, fraudently and designedly induce the said R. W. Barto, as agent of and for the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, to make to him, Lieutenant *Boon*, a loan of one hundred and fifty dollars, and did then and there so obtain from the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, through her said agent, R. W. Barto, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, executing and delivering his promissory note of that date for that amount, due and payable to the said Mrs. A. E. Gilbert on October 4th, 1904, and signed '*Francis M. Boon*, 2d Lieut. 19th Inf., Fort Lawton, Wash.'

CHARGE II.—"Desertion, in violation of the 47th Article of War."

Specification—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, an officer in the military service of the United States, did desert the same at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, on or about September 30, 1904, and did remain absent in desertion until he surrendered himself at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, on or about December 29, 1904."

CHARGE III.—"Violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, an officer in the military service of the United States, having been entrusted by his company commander, Captain Arthur B. Foster, 19th Infantry, on or about September 20th, 1904, with the possession and custody of one Colt's revolver of the value of eleven dollars, furnished and intended for the military service of the United States, for his, the said Lieutenant *Boon's*, use in the said service, did embezzle and convert the said pistol to his own use and benefit by absenting himself, without authority therefor, from his station, Vancouver

Barracks, Washington, and from the United States, from about October 1st, 1904, to about December 24, 1904, with the said pistol in his possession. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington."

CHARGE IV.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, having employed Mrs. Tillie Davis as a domestic servant, and having become indebted to her in the amount of nine dollars for services rendered as such servant during the months of August and September, 1904, did fail to pay to the said Mrs. Tillie Davis the said amount of nine dollars or any part thereof, and did leave the United States on or about October 1st, 1904, with intent to evade payment of the said debt. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington."

Specification 2d—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, being a member of the Bachelor's Mess at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and having become indebted in the amount of twenty-seven dollars on September 30th, 1904, to Mrs. A. B. Johnson, caterer and manager of the said mess, did fail to pay to the said Mrs. Johnson the said amount of twenty-seven dollars or any part thereof, and did leave the United States on or about October 1st, 1904, with intent to evade payment of the said debt. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington."

Specification 3d—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, having on or about August 20th, 1904, borrowed one hundred dollars of Sergeant Wibur E. Flynn, Company M, 19th Infantry, and having promised to repay the same on or before October 1st, 1904, did fail to pay to the said Sergeant Flynn the said amount of one hundred dollars or any part thereof, and did leave the United States on or about October 1st, 1904, with intent to evade payment of the said debt. This at Vancouver Barracks, Washington."

Specification 4th—"In that Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, has since the 14th day of January, 1904, borrowed the following amounts of money with promises to repay the same, well knowing that he could not fulfill the said promises: Of Mr. John Mayer at Seat-

tle, Washington, on or about January 15th, 1904, four hundred dollars; of Mrs. A. E. Gilbert at Seattle, Washington, on or about May 23d, 1904, one hundred and fifty dollars; of the Seattle National Bank of Seattle, Washington, on or about August 4th, 1904, one hundred dollars; of the United Loan and Trust Company of San Francisco, California, on or about August 25th, 1904, one hundred and fifty dollars; of the Vancouver National Bank of Vancouver, Washington, on or about September 10th, 1904, one hundred dollars; of the Commercial Bank of Vancouver, Washington, on or about September 13th, 1904, one hundred dollars; and the said Lieutenant Boon being indebted to the said persons in the said amounts did leave the United States on or about October 1st, 1904, with intent to evade payment of the said debts, and has, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service, failed to pay any of the said debts or any part thereof at the date of these charges, January 20th, 1905."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge III.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge IV.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'with intent to evade payment of the said debt,' and to the excepted words not guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'with intent to evade payment of the said debt,' and to the excepted words not guilty."

To the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'with intent to evade payment of the said debt,' and to the excepted words not guilty."

To the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'well knowing that he could not fulfill the said promises,' and the words 'with intent to evade payment of the said debts,' and to the words 'to the scandal and disgrace of the military service,' and to the excepted words not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

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Charge III.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge IV.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, 2d Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th Infantry, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States and to be confined at hard labor, at such place as the reviewing authority may direct, for the period of two (2) years.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of 2d Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, 19th

Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 14, 1905.*

The sentence in the case of Second Lieutenant *Francis M. Boon*, Nineteenth United States Infantry, is approved.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief of Staff, which is concurred in by the Secretary of War, the period of confinement imposed is reduced to one (1) year, and the sentence, as thus mitigated, is confirmed. The confinement will be served at the military prison at Alcatraz, California.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Lieutenant *Boon* ceases to be an officer of the Army from March 18, 1905.

[988616, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 43.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 20, 1905.

I.—The saber belt of enamel leather, prescribed for issue to bands by paragraph 105, General Orders, No. 197, War Department, December 31, 1904, will in future be manufactured and issued to the Army by the Ordnance Department.

[985726, M. S. O.]

II.—The following joint resolution of the Congress is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

Joint Resolution To return to the proper authorities certain Union and Confederate battle flags.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to deliver to the proper authorities of the respective States in which the regiments which bore these colors were organized certain Union and Confederate battle flags now in the custody of the War Department, for such final disposition as the aforesaid proper authorities may determine.

Approved, February 28, 1905. [984786, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 44.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *March 21, 1905.*

Master electricians, Artillery Corps, ordnance, post commissary, post quartermaster, and electrician sergeants will be armed with the noncommissioned officer's sword only, and will be required to have in their possession the following articles of equipment:

- 1 noncommissioned officer's sword.
- 1 waist belt.
- 1 frog.

When ordered for field service, in addition—

- 1 revolver.
- 1 revolver holster.
- 1 revolver cartridge box.
- 1 canteen.
- 1 canteen strap.
- 1 set blanket-roll straps.
- 1 haversack.
- 1 meat can.
- 1 cup.
- 1 knife.
- 1 fork.
- 1 spoon.

These noncommissioned officers in garrison will not be required to turn out in heavy marching order.

When they are paraded for reviews and inspections their posts are as prescribed in the Infantry Drill Regulations for the regimental noncommissioned staff (or battalion noncommissioned staff at posts where no regimental noncommissioned staff officers are serving), *i. e.*, sergeant major on the right, post and other noncommissioned staff officers on his left in order of rank, senior on the right. [956178, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 45. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *March 22, 1905.*

I.—By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 27, February 17, 1905, War Department, as relates to the additional strength of one sergeant to each company of the 1st Battalion of Engineers (Companies A, B, C, and D) is revoked and the following substituted therefor:

In order to provide permanent positions as sergeants for four noncommissioned officers required for the performance of expert service at the Staff College, additional strength of one sergeant to each company is hereby assigned to the 1st Battalion of Engineers (Companies A, B, C, and D).

These extra sergeants will not change station with their companies, but remain permanently on detached service at the Staff College.

Transfers, appointments, or promotions to fill any vacancies that may exist or occur in these positions, will be made at the request of the commandant of the Staff College and on his recommendation alone. [98703, M. S. O.]

II.—General Orders, No. 22, February 18, 1905, War Department, is amended to read as follows:

The following-named officer is honorably mentioned in orders to the Army as having distinguished himself by specially meritorious conduct in service under the circumstances and at the time and place mentioned herein:

February 9 and 10, 1901, Captain *James D. Taylor, jr.*, 18th United States Infantry, for discretion and excellent judgment shown by him in obtaining possession of the correspondence which made known the whereabouts of the insurgent chieftain, Aguinaldo, thus making possible the expedition resulting in his capture; this, while 1st lieutenant, 24th United States Infantry, commanding the station of Pantabangan, Nueva Ecija, Philippine Islands. [98031, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 46. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 23, 1905.

The following acts and joint resolution of the Congress are published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

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I..An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and five, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, and for prior years, and for other objects hereinafter stated, namely:

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

To enable the Secretary of War to pay the amounts due certain newspapers for publishing advertisements for proposals for construction work and military supplies and set forth on pages eighteen and nineteen of House Document Numbered

Two hundred and eighty-seven of this session, one hundred and eighty-six dollars and seventy-two cents.

To enable the Secretary of War to pay the amounts due certain newspapers for publishing advertisements for construction work, and so forth, and set forth on page nineteen of House Document Numbered Two hundred and eighty-seven of this session, twenty-one dollars and thirty-three cents.

CREDIT IN ACCOUNTS OF MAJOR GEORGE T. HOLLOWAY: The accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed to open the accounts of Major George T. Holloway, additional paymaster, United States Volunteers, and to credit him with the sum of one hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty-three cents, as recommended, under authority of the Secretary of War, by the Paymaster-General United States Army.

REFUND TO THE ESTATE OF HARRY PARSHALL: To refund to Jessie M. Parshall, of Valentine, Nebraska, widow of Harry Parshall, formerly second lieutenant, twenty-second United States Infantry, the sum belonging to the said Harry Parshall and erroneously covered into the Treasury to the credit of "Miscellaneous receipts" by Captain O. B. Meyer, Fourteenth United States Cavalry, as per certificate of deposit Numbered Three hundred and three of September twentieth, nineteen hundred and four, fifty dollars.

REIMBURSEMENT TO MAJOR J. B. HOUSTON: To reimburse Major J. B. Houston, paymaster, United States Volunteers, the amount refunded by him to the Government on account of payment on September third, nineteen hundred, at Portland, Oregon, of two sets of forged final statements of discharged enlisted men, through no fault on his part, three hundred and thirty-three dollars.

CREDIT IN THE ACCOUNTS OF LIEUTENANT EBEN SWIFT, JUNIOR: That the accounting officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, directed to credit in the accounts of Lieutenant Eben Swift, junior, Eleventh United States Cavalry, the sum of four hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty-nine cents standing against him on the books of the Treasury.

CREDIT IN THE ACCOUNTS OF LIEUTENANT JOHN J. BONIFACE: That the accounting officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, directed to credit in the accounts of Lieutenant John J. Boniface, Fourth United States Cavalry, the sum of one

hundred and fifty-four dollars and fifty-two cents standing against him on the books of the Treasury.

CREDIT IN THE ACCOUNTS OF CAPTAIN CHARLES KELLER: That the accounting officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, directed to credit in the accounts of Captain Charles Keller, Corps of Engineers, the sum of thirteen dollars and sixty-three cents now standing against him on the books of the Treasury.

CREDIT IN THE ACCOUNTS OF COLONEL JAMES M. MARSHALL: The accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed to reopen the accounts of Colonel James M. Marshall, Assistant Quartermaster-General, United States Army, and to credit him with the sum of thirty-three dollars, expended by him in July, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, under instructions of the Assistant Secretary of War and the Quartermaster-General, in payment for preparing an abstract of title of certain land donated to the United States for the military post at Fort Harrison, Montana.

CREDIT IN THE ACCOUNTS OF CAPTAIN JOHN STEPHEN SEWELL: The accounting officers of the Treasury are authorized and hereby directed to allow and credit on the books of the Treasury the sum of two hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents in settlement of the accounts of Captain John Stephen Sewell, Corps of Engineers.

STATE OF TEXAS: The Secretary of War is hereby directed to inquire, and report to Congress for its consideration, what sum or sums of money were actually expended by the State of Texas during the period of time between February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, and June twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty, in payment of State volunteers or rangers called into service by authority of the governor of Texas, in defense of the frontier of that State against Mexican marauders and Indian depredations, for which reimbursement has not been made out of the Treasury of the United States.

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

PAY OF THE ARMY: For pay of officers of the staff and line, five hundred thousand dollars;

For pay of enlisted men, nine hundred thousand dollars;

In all, one million four hundred thousand dollars, to be paid out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for "Pay,

and so forth, of the Army" for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and three, which is hereby reappropriated for said purposes.

For mileage to officers and contract surgeons, when authorized by law, one hundred thousand dollars, to be paid out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for "Pay, and so forth, of the Army" for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and three, which is hereby reappropriated for said purposes.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

REGULAR SUPPLIES: For regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department, including all objects mentioned under this head in the army appropriation Act for fiscal years as follows:

For the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, seven hundred thousand dollars, together with the further sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to be paid out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for "Regular Supplies" for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and three, which is hereby reappropriated for said purpose.

For the fiscal year nineteen hundred and four, ninety thousand dollars.

MILITARY POST, FORT SNELLING, MINNESOTA: To complete the purchase of land lying south of the Fort Snelling Military Reservation for use as a target range, and for the purchase of the improvements thereon, fifteen thousand dollars.

For repair of the Tennessee soldiers' monument, the property of the United States, in the national cemetery at Knoxville, Tennessee, five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

CLAIMS FOR PROPERTY TAKEN FROM CONFEDERATE OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS AFTER SURRENDER: For payment of claims filed with the Quartermaster-General under Act of February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and two, and amendments thereto, for horses, saddles, and bridles taken from Confederate soldiers in violation of terms of surrender, one hundred thousand dollars.

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

SURVEY FOR WAGON ROAD FROM VALDEZ TO FORT EGBERT, ALASKA: For a survey and estimate of cost of a wagon road from Valdez to Fort Egbert, on the Yukon River, to be made

under the direction of the Secretary of War, five thousand seven hundred dollars and sixty-three cents.

SURVEY FOR MILITARY TRAIL BETWEEN YUKON RIVER AND COLDFOOT, ALASKA: For surveying and locating a military trail under the direction of the Secretary of War, by the shortest and most practicable route, between the Yukon River and Coldfoot, on the Koyukuk River, to be immediately available, one thousand four hundred and thirty-one dollars and fifteen cents.

MILITARY ACADEMY.

CURRENT AND ORDINARY EXPENSES: For expenses of the Board of Visitors, including mileage, two hundred and thirty-seven dollars.

Fuel and apparatus, namely: Coal, wood, charcoal, stoves, grates, heaters, furnaces, ranges and fixtures, fire bricks, clay, sand, and for repairs of steam-heating apparatus, grates, stoves, heaters, ranges, and furnaces, mica, five thousand dollars.

For fuel for cadets' mess hall, shops, and laundry, ten thousand dollars.

For postage and telegrams, fiscal year nineteen hundred and four, ten dollars and thirty-eight cents.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES: For the printing by the Public Printer of six thousand copies of the Jubilee Centennial History of the United States Military Academy, one thousand of which shall be for the use of the Senate and two thousand for the use of the House of Representatives, and the balance to be distributed by the Superintendent of the United States Military Academy under the direction of the Secretary of War, or so much thereof as may be necessary, three thousand two hundred and thirty dollars.

NATIONAL HOME FOR DISABLED VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS: Western Branch, at Leavenworth, Kansas: For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, six thousand dollars.

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, fifteen thousand dollars.

Marion Branch, at Marion, Indiana: For household, includ-

ing the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, nine thousand dollars.

Southern Branch, at Hampton, Virginia: For transportation, namely: For transportation of the members of the Home for fiscal years as follows:

For the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, five hundred dollars.

For the fiscal year nineteen hundred and four, ninety-seven dollars and twenty cents.

Danville Branch, at Danville, Illinois: For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, five thousand dollars.

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, ten thousand six hundred dollars.

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, five thousand dollars.

Dayton Branch, at Dayton, Ohio: To pay the judgment of the court of common pleas of Montgomery County, Ohio, rendered November twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, against the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Central Branch, in favor of Neil Overholzer, together with the costs, six hundred and three dollars and eighty-nine cents.

STATE OR TERRITORIAL HOMES FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS: For continuing aid to State or Territorial Homes for the support of disabled volunteer soldiers, in conformity with the Act approved August twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, including all classes of soldiers admissible to the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and four, one hundred and twenty-one thousand eight hundred and seven dollars and ninety-three cents: *Provided*, That one-half of any sum or sums retained by State Homes on account of pensions received from inmates shall be deducted from the aid herein provided for.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY THE AUDITOR FOR THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

For salaries, Office of Quartermaster-General, fifteen dollars and eighty-two cents.

For Signal Service of the Army, thirty-two dollars.

For pay, and so forth, of the Army, nine thousand four hundred and seventy-eight dollars and eighty cents.

For subsistence of the Army, two thousand and forty-five dollars and four cents.

For regular supplies, Quartermaster's Department, six hundred and thirty-two dollars and eight cents.

For incidental expenses, Quartermaster's Department, one thousand four hundred and ten dollars and ninety-five cents.

For transportation of the Army and its supplies, twenty-nine thousand nine hundred and fifty-one dollars and thirty-one cents.

For clothing and camp and garrison equipage, one hundred and twenty-four dollars and forty-five cents.

For barracks and quarters, five hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventeen cents.

For headstones for graves of soldiers, eight dollars and ninety-nine cents.

For Medical and Hospital Department, eight dollars and forty cents.

For ordnance stores, manufacture, and so forth, fifty dollars.

For contingencies of fortifications, two dollars and ninety-seven cents.

For National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Eastern Branch, two hundred and nine dollars and three cents.

For National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Western Branch, fifteen dollars and twenty-five cents.

For National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Pacific Branch, twenty-three dollars and fifty-eight cents.

For National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, clothing, one hundred and forty-one dollars and sixty-three cents.

For reimbursing Missouri for militia expenses during the rebellion, four hundred and seventy-five thousand one hundred and ninety-eight dollars and thirteen cents.

For refunding to States (New Jersey) expenses incurred in raising volunteers, two hundred and twenty-two thousand four hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty-nine cents.

For pay of volunteers, Mexican war, seventy-seven dollars and four cents.

For pay, transportation, services, and supplies of Oregon and Washington volunteers in eighteen hundred and fifty-five and eighteen hundred and fifty-six, one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-one cents.

For refunding to the State of Wisconsin expenses incurred in raising volunteers, as reported in Senate Document Numbered One hundred and eighty-six, this session, seven hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-eight cents.

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For pay, and so forth, of the Army, four thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars and nine cents.

For subsistence of the Army, four hundred and fifty dollars and fifteen cents.

For clothing, and camp and garrison equipage, three hundred and thirty dollars and fifty-four cents.

For incidental expenses, Quartermaster's Department, ninety-five dollars and fifty-six cents.

For transportation of the Army and its supplies, ten thousand three hundred and twenty-seven dollars and eighty-eight cents.

For headstones for graves of soldiers, one hundred and eighteen dollars and sixty-eight cents.

For relief of refugees, freedmen and abandoned lands, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

For pay, transportation, services, and supplies of Oregon and Washington volunteers in eighteen hundred and fifty-five and eighteen hundred and fifty-six, seventy-eight dollars and fifteen cents.

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SEC. 4. That section thirty-six hundred and seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 8679. No Department of the Government shall expend, in any one fiscal year, any sum in excess of appropriations made by Congress for that fiscal year, or involve the Government in any contract or obligation for the future payment of money in excess of such appropriations unless such contract or obligation is authorized by law. Nor shall any

Department or officer of the Government accept voluntary service for the Government or employ personal service in excess of that authorized by law, except in cases of sudden emergency involving the loss of human life or the destruction of property. All appropriations made for contingent expenses or other general purposes, except appropriations made for the fulfillment of contract obligations expressly authorized by law, or for objects required or authorized by law without reference to the amounts annually appropriated therefor, shall, on or before the beginning of each fiscal year, be so apportioned by monthly or other allotments as to prevent undue expenditures in one portion of the year that may require deficiency or additional appropriations to complete the service of the fiscal year; and all such apportionments shall be adhered to except when waived or modified in specific cases by the written order of the head of the Executive Department or other Government establishment having control of the expenditure, but this provision shall not apply to the contingent appropriations of the Senate or House of Representatives; and all such waivers or modifications, together with the reasons therefor, shall be communicated to Congress in connection with estimates for any additional appropriations required on account thereof. Any person violating any provision of this section shall be summarily removed from office and may also be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not less than one month."

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Approved, March 8, 1905.

II.—An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, namely:

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UNDER THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

ARMORIES AND ARSENALS.

FRANKFORD ARSENAL, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA: For

extension of system of water supply, twenty-two thousand dollars;

For completing extension of shop used for loading small-arms cartridges at Frankford Arsenal, three thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars.

ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS: For machinery and shop fixtures, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For general care, preservation, and improvements; for painting and care and preservation of permanent buildings; for building fences and sewers, grading grounds and roads, ten thousand dollars.

For maintenance and operation of power plant, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For the Rock Island Bridge, as follows:

For operating and care and preservation of Rock Island Bridge and Viaduct, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

SANDY HOOK PROVING GROUND, NEW JERSEY: For rebuilding and repairing roads and walks, and for general repairs of shops, storehouses, and quarters, four thousand dollars;

For one set of quarters for locomotive engineer, four thousand dollars.

For purchase and installation of machine tools and motors, and enlargement of carpenter shop, four thousand dollars;

In all, twelve thousand dollars.

POWDER DEPOT, NEAR DOVER, NEW JERSEY: For storehouses for reserve supply of war material, thirty-six thousand dollars;

For increase of transportation facilities, ten thousand dollars;

In all, forty-six thousand dollars.

SPRINGFIELD ARSENAL, SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS: For general care, repair of quarters, of buildings, and machinery not used for manufacturing purposes, and of grounds and roads, ten thousand dollars.

TESTING MACHINES, WATERTOWN ARSENAL: For labor and materials in caring for, preserving, and operating the United States testing machines at Watertown Arsenal, including such new tools and appliances as may be required, fifteen thousand dollars.

WATERVLIET ARSENAL, WATERVLIET, NEW YORK: For repairs to the inclosing wall of the reservation and retaining walls at lower shops, five thousand dollars.

AUGUSTA ARSENAL, AUGUSTA, GEORGIA: For additional machinery for use at said arsenal, fifty thousand dollars.

REPAIRS OF ARSENALS: For repairs and improvements at arsenals and powder depots, and to meet such unforeseen expenditures as accidents or other contingencies during the year may render necessary, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

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NATIONAL CEMETERIES.

FOR NATIONAL CEMETERIES: For maintaining and improving national cemeteries, including fuel for superintendents of national cemeteries, pay of laborers and other employees, purchase of tools and materials, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

FOR SUPERINTENDENTS OF NATIONAL CEMETERIES: For pay of seventy-five superintendents of national cemeteries, sixty-two thousand and sixty dollars.

HEADSTONES FOR GRAVES OF SOLDIERS: For continuing the work of furnishing headstones for unmarked graves of Union soldiers, sailors, and marines in national, post, city, town, and village cemeteries, naval cemeteries at navy-yards and stations of the United States, and other burial places, under the Acts of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and February third, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, fifty thousand dollars.

For marking the places where American soldiers fell and were temporarily interred in Cuba and China, nine thousand five hundred dollars, said sum to be immediately available.

REPAIRING ROADWAYS TO NATIONAL CEMETERIES: For repairs to roadways to national cemeteries which have been constructed by special authority of Congress: *Provided*, That no railroad shall be permitted upon the right of way which may have been acquired by the United States to a national cemetery, or to encroach upon any roads or walks constructed thereon and maintained by the United States, twelve thousand dollars: *Provided further*, That no part of this sum shall be used for repairing any roadway within the corporate limits of any city, town, or village.

BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS: For expenses of burying in the Arlington National Cemetery, or in the cemeteries of the District of Columbia, indigent ex-Union soldiers, sailors, and marines of the late civil war and soldiers and sailors of the war with Spain who die in the District of Columbia, or in the immediate vicinity thereof, and of such soldiers, sailors, and marines who die in the District of Columbia and are buried in the immediate vicinity thereof, to be disbursed by the Secretary of War, at a cost not exceeding forty-five dollars for such burial expenses in each case, exclusive of cost of grave, three thousand dollars.

NATIONAL CEMETERY, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: For continuation of stone wall on the boundary line of the reservation of the Presidio of San Francisco, California, five thousand dollars.

ANTIETAM BATTLEFIELD: For repair and preservation of monuments, tablets, observation tower, roads, and fences, and so forth, made and constructed by the United States upon public land within the limits of the Antietam battlefield, near Sharpsburg, Maryland, three thousand dollars.

For pay of superintendent of Antietam battlefield, said superintendent to perform his duties under the direction of the Quartermaster's Department and to be selected and appointed by the Secretary of War, at his discretion, the person selected and appointed to this position to be an honorably discharged Union soldier, one thousand five hundred dollars.

BRINGING HOME THE REMAINS OF OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WHO DIE ABROAD: To enable the Secretary of War, in his discretion, to cause to be transported to their homes the remains of officers and soldiers who die at military camps or who are killed in action, or who die in the field or hospital in Alaska, and at places outside of the limits of the United States, or who die while on voyage at sea, twenty-five thousand dollars.

BRINGING HOME THE REMAINS OF CIVIL EMPLOYEES OF THE ARMY WHO DIE ABROAD AND SOLDIERS WHO DIE ON TRANSPORTS: To enable the Secretary of War, in his discretion, to cause to be transported to their homes the remains of civilian employees of the Army who have died, or may hereafter die, while in the employ of the War Department in Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii, China, Alaska, and the Philippines, including

the remains of any honorably discharged soldiers who are entitled under the terms of their discharge to return transportation on Government transport, and who die while on said transport, two thousand five hundred dollars.

CONFEDERATE MOUND, OAKWOOD CEMETERY, CHICAGO: For care, protection, and maintenance of the plat of ground known as "Confederate Mound" in Oakwood Cemetery, Chicago, two hundred and fifty dollars.

ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY, VIRGINIA: For grading, draining, making roads, planting trees, and otherwise preparing the grounds in the addition to the Arlington, Virginia, National Cemetery, ten thousand dollars.

FORT CRAWFORD MILITARY CEMETERY, WISCONSIN: For the improvement and repair of the military cemetery on the Fort Crawford Reservation at Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin, and for the purpose of purchasing a suitable approach to said cemetery, the sum of three thousand dollars heretofore appropriated is reappropriated and made available for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and six.

MISCELLANEOUS OBJECTS, WAR DEPARTMENT.

MILITARY POSTS: For the construction and enlargement of buildings at such military posts as, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, may be necessary; for the erection of barracks and quarters for the artillery in connection with adopted project for seacoast defenses, and for the purchase of suitable building sites for said barracks and quarters, one million two hundred thousand dollars; but no part of the money appropriated for military posts shall be used for the purchase of any land except as herein specially provided.

ARMY GENERAL HOSPITAL: For the purchase of a site for and toward the construction of an army general hospital, one hundred thousand dollars, to be immediately available; and the total cost of said hospital, including site therefor, under a contract which is hereby authorized therefor, shall not exceed the sum of three hundred thousand dollars.

LAND FOR ENLARGEMENT OF MILITARY POST, FORT NIAGARA, NEW YORK: For purchase of approximately six hundred and fifty acres of land lying eastward and adjoining Fort Niagara, New York, to provide for the enlargement of the post to accommodate one regiment of infantry, one squadron of cavalry, and two batteries of field artillery, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

ENLARGEMENT OF GOVERNORS ISLAND, NEW YORK: For continuing plan of improvement for the enlargement of Governors Island, New York Harbor, by wharf work, dredging, bulkhead, and filling, one hundred thousand dollars.

SANDY HOOK, NEW JERSEY: For the construction of a sea wall for the protection of the northern beach of the United States lands at Sandy Hook, New Jersey, forty thousand dollars.

ENLARGEMENT OF TARGET RANGE, PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA: For the purchase of about one hundred and fifty acres of land adjoining the United States military reservation, Presidio of Monterey, Monterey, California, for enlarging the target range, ten thousand dollars.

TARGET RANGE, FORT LOGAN, COLORADO: For the purchase of section twenty-nine, and one-half of section twenty, township six south, range sixty-six west, for use as a target range for the garrison of Fort Logan, Colorado, six thousand six hundred and forty dollars.

FORT MONROE, VIRGINIA: For repair and maintenance of wharf, including all necessary labor and material therefor, fuel for waiting rooms, and water for flushing closets, painting, repairs to roof, brooms, shovels, and so forth, six thousand one hundred and sixty-six dollars; wharfinger, nine hundred dollars; laborer, four hundred and twenty dollars; in all, seven thousand four hundred and eighty-six dollars; for one-half of said sum, to be supplied by the United States, three thousand seven hundred and forty-three dollars.

Repairs and operation of roads, pavements, streets, lights, and general police: For rakes, shovels, and brooms; repairs to roadways, macadamizing, paving, drainpipes; electric lights for streets; two thousand and five dollars; driver for police cart, four hundred and eighty dollars; two laborers policing roads, at four hundred and eighty dollars each; in all, three thousand seven hundred and forty-five dollars; for one-half of said sum, to be supplied by the United States, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents.

Maintenance of sewer system: For coal and wood, waste, oil, and pump repairs, sewer pipe, cement, brick, and supplies, one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; two engineers, at nine hundred dollars each; two firemen, at six hundred

dollars each; two laborers, at five hundred dollars each; in all, five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; for one-half of said sum, to be supplied by the United States, two thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars.

PRESIDIO MILITARY RESERVATION, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: For continuing the improvement of the grounds within the Presidio Military Reservation, at San Francisco, California, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK: For completing the improvement of the Yellowstone National Park, in accordance with the approved project, eighty-three thousand dollars; for maintenance and repair of existing improvements, fifty thousand dollars; in all, one hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War; to be immediately available and to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That of this amount thirty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, may, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, be expended in the Yellowstone Forest Reserve east and south of the park.

CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA NATIONAL PARK: For continuing the establishment of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Park; for the compensation and expenses of two civilian commissioners, maps, surveys, clerical and other assistance, messenger, office expenses and all other necessary expenses; foundations for State monuments; mowing; historical tablets, iron and bronze; iron gun carriages; for roads and their maintenance, completing the inclosing of Point Park; the purchase of small tracts of land, the purchase of which has heretofore been authorized by law; in all, thirty-one thousand dollars.

SHILOH NATIONAL MILITARY PARK: For continuing the work of establishing a national military park on the battlefield of Shiloh, Tennessee; for the compensation of three civilian commissioners and the secretary, clerical and other services, labor, land, and historical tablets, maps and surveys, roads, purchase and transportation of supplies and materials, office and other necessary expenses, twenty-four thousand dollars.

GETTYSBURG NATIONAL PARK: For continuing the work of establishing the national park at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania;

for the acquisition of lands, surveys, and maps; constructing, improving, and maintaining avenues, roads, and bridges thereon; making fences and gates; marking the lines of battle with tablets and guns, each tablet bearing a brief legend giving historic facts, and compiled without censure and without praise; preserving the features of the battlefield and the monuments thereon; providing for a suitable office for the commissioners in Gettysburg; compensation of three civilian commissioners, clerical and other services; expenses and labor; the purchase and preparation of tablets and gun carriages and placing them in position, and all other expenses incidental to the foregoing, fifty seven thousand dollars.

VICKSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK: For continuing the work of establishing the Vicksburg National Military Park; for the compensation of three civilian commissioners and the secretary and historian; for clerical and other services, labor, iron gun carriages, the mounting of siege guns, monuments, markers, and historical tablets giving historical facts, compiled without praise and without censure; maps and surveys; roads, bridges, restoration of earthworks, purchase and transportation of supplies and materials; these and other necessary expenses, seventy-five thousand dollars, to be immediately available.

MAPS, WAR DEPARTMENT: For publication of maps for use of the War Department, inclusive of war maps, three thousand dollars.

SURVEY OF NORTHERN AND NORTHWESTERN LAKES: For survey of northern and northwestern lakes, including all necessary expenses for preparing, correcting, extending, printing and issuing charts and bulletins, and of investigating lake levels, with a view to their regulation, to be immediately available and to remain available until expended, one hundred thousand dollars.

TRANSPORTATION OF REPORTS AND MAPS TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES: For the transportation of reports and maps to foreign countries through the Smithsonian Institution, one hundred dollars.

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS: For furnishing artificial limbs and apparatus, or commutation therefor, and necessary transportation, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of War, four hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

APPLIANCES FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS: For furnishing surgical appliances to persons disabled in the military or naval service of the United States, and not entitled to artificial limbs or trusses for the same disabilities, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of War, two thousand dollars.

SUPPORT AND MEDICAL TREATMENT OF DESTITUTE PATIENTS: For the support and medical treatment of ninety-five medical and surgical patients who are destitute, in the city of Washington, under a contract to be made with the Providence Hospital by the Surgeon-General of the Army, nineteen thousand dollars, one half of which sum shall be paid from the revenues of the District of Columbia and the other half from the Treasury of the United States.

GARFIELD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL: For maintenance, to enable it to provide medical and surgical treatment to persons unable to pay therefor, under a contract to be made with the Board of Charities of the District of Columbia, nineteen thousand dollars, one-half of which sum shall be paid from the revenues of the District of Columbia and the other half from the Treasury of the United States.

ARMY MEDICAL MUSEUM AND LIBRARY BUILDING: For six iron book stacks in library hall, including iron supports, stairs, perforated gallery floors, and necessary hardwood shelves, eight thousand dollars.

CALIFORNIA DÉBRIS COMMISSION: For defraying the expenses of the Commission in carrying on the work authorized by the Act of Congress approved March first, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, fifteen thousand dollars.

HARBOR OF NEW YORK: For prevention of obstructive and injurious deposits within the harbor and adjacent waters of New York City:

For pay of inspectors, deputy inspectors, office force, and expenses of office, ten thousand two hundred and sixty dollars;

For pay of crews and maintenance of six steam tugs and one launch, sixty-five thousand dollars;

For general repairs and overhauling steam tugs, ten thousand dollars;

In all, eighty-five thousand two hundred and sixty dollars.

NATIONAL HOME FOR DISABLED VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS.

For the support of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, as follows:

AT THE CENTRAL BRANCH, AT DAYTON, OHIO: For current expenses, namely: Pay of officers and noncommissioned officers of the Home, with such exceptions as are hereinafter noted, and their clerks and orderlies; also payments for chaplains and religious instruction, printers, bookbinders, librarians, musicians, telegraph and telephone operators, guards, policemen, watchmen, and fire company; for all property and materials purchased for their use, including repairs not done by the Home; for necessary expenditures for articles of amusement, boats, library books, magazines, papers, pictures, and musical instruments, and for repairs not done by the Home; and for stationery, advertising, legal advice, for payments due heirs of deceased members: *Provided*, That all receipts on account of the effects of deceased members during the fiscal year shall also be available for such payments; and for such other expenditures as can not properly be included under other heads of expenditure, sixty thousand dollars;

For subsistence, namely: Pay of commissary sergeants, commissary clerks, porters, laborers, bakers, cooks, dishwashers, waiters, and others employed in the subsistence department; the cost of all articles purchased for the regular ration, and the subsistence of civilian employees regularly employed and residing at the Branch, their freight, preparation, and serving; aprons, caps, and jackets for kitchen and dining-room employees; of tobacco; of all dining-room and kitchen furniture and utensils, bakers' and butchers' tools and appliances, and their repair not done by the Home, two hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars;

For household, namely: Expenditures for furniture for officers' quarters; for bedsteads, bedding, bedding material, and all other articles required in the quarters of the members, and of civilian employees permanently employed and residing at the Branch, and for their repair, if they are not repaired by the Home; for fuel, including fuel for cooking, heat, and light; for engineers and firemen, bath-house keepers, hall cleaners, laundrymen, gas makers, and privy watchmen, and for all labor, materials, and appliances required for household use, and for their repairs unless the repairs are made by the Home, one hundred and thirty-four thousand dollars;

For hospital, namely: Pay of assistant surgeons, matrons, druggists, hospital clerks and stewards, ward masters, nurses,

cooks, waiters, readers, hospital carriage drivers, hearse drivers, gravediggers, funeral escort, and for such other services as may be necessary for the care of the sick; for surgical instruments and appliances, medical books, medicine, liquors, fruits, and other necessities for the sick not on the regular ration; for bedsteads, bedding, and bedding materials, and all other articles necessary for the wards, and for the quarters of the assistant surgeons, nurses, and other civilian employees attached to the hospital permanently employed and residing at the Branch; for hospital kitchen and dining-room furniture and appliances, including aprons, caps, and jackets for hospital kitchen and dining-room employees; carriage, hearse, stretchers, coffins; for tools of gravediggers, and for all repairs to hospital furniture and appliances not done by the Home, fifty-seven thousand dollars;

For transportation, namely: For transportation of members of the Home, three thousand five hundred dollars;

For repairs, namely: Pay of chief engineer, builders, blacksmiths, carpenters, painters, gas fitters, electrical workers, plumbers, tinsmiths, steam fitters, stone and brick masons, whitewashers, and laborers, and for all appliances and materials used under this head; also for repairs of roads and other improvements of a permanent character, fifty-seven thousand dollars;

For nurses' quarters, twelve thousand five hundred dollars;

For farm, namely: Pay of farmer, chief gardener, harness makers, farm hands, gardeners, horseshoers, stablemen, teamsters, dairymen, herders, and laborers, and for all tools, appliances, and materials required for farm, garden, and dairy work; for grain, hay, straw, dressing, seed, carriages, wagons, carts, and other conveyances; for all animals purchased for stock or for work (including animals in the park); for all materials, tools, and labor for flower garden, lawn, and park; for rent of leased lands, and for repairs not done by the Home, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, six hundred and two thousand five hundred dollars.

AT THE NORTHWESTERN BRANCH, AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under

this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and thirty thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, sixty-eight thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-five thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, one thousand eight hundred dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-five thousand dollars;

For ventilating apparatus for hospital, three thousand dollars;

For cement sidewalks, four thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, ten thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, three hundred and twenty-four thousand eight hundred dollars;

AT THE EASTERN BRANCH AT TOGUS, MAINE: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-five thousand five hundred dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and thirty-four thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, seventy-seven thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-six thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, twenty-six thousand dollars;

For addition to and alteration of library building, seven thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, fifteen thousand dollars;

In all, three hundred and thirty-two thousand dollars.

AT THE SOUTHERN BRANCH, AT HAMPTON, VIRGINIA: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-five thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, eighty-eight thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-six thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, one thousand three hundred dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty-two thousand dollars;

For concrete and cement sea wall, eighteen thousand dollars;

For timber revetment in Jones Creek, four thousand six hundred and forty dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, three hundred and ninety-three thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

AT THE WESTERN BRANCH, AT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS:
For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty-four thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, ninety thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home four thousand dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, fifty thousand dollars;

For addition to nurses' cottage, five thousand dollars;

For renewal of radiating surface of heating plant in barracks and mess hall, seventeen thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, eighteen thousand dollars;

In all, four hundred and twenty-three thousand dollars.

AT THE PACIFIC BRANCH, AT SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-five thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and thirty thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, fifty-four thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, three thousand dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty thousand dollars;

For additional barrack, thirty-four thousand dollars;

For storage reservoir, seven thousand two hundred dollars;

For installation of one fire pump, one feed pump, and one ice-making tank, complete, seven thousand one hundred dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, ten thousand dollars;

In all, three hundred and sixty thousand three hundred dollars.

AT THE MARION BRANCH, AT MARION, INDIANA: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-eight thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and ten thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, and for necessary expenses for the procurement, piping, and preservation of natural gas, oil, and water, forty-two thousand five hundred dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, two thousand dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, and for necessary expenses for the procurement, piping, and preservation of natural gas, oil,

and water, and including bathroom in hospital, forty-two thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no part of the appropriations for repairs for any of the Branch Homes shall be used for the construction of any new building:

For oil and cement house, five hundred dollars;

For dairy barn, nine thousand dollars;

For powder house, two hundred and seventy-five dollars;

For fumigating house, five hundred dollars;

For conservatory, six thousand dollars;

For refrigerating and cold-storage plant, twenty-five thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, and for necessary expenses for the procurement, piping, and preservation of natural gas, oil, and water, ten thousand dollars.

In all, three hundred and fifteen thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

AT THE DANVILLE BRANCH, DANVILLE, ILLINOIS: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, seventy-five thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty thousand five hundred dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, three thousand dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty-two thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, eleven thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, three hundred and twenty-seven thousand dollars.

AT THE MOUNTAIN BRANCH, AT JOHNSON CITY, TENNESSEE: For current expenses, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, forty thousand dollars;

For subsistence, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars;

For household, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, seventy thousand dollars;

For hospital, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty thousand dollars;

For transportation of members of the Home, three thousand five hundred dollars;

For repairs, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, thirty thousand dollars;

For dairy barn, nine thousand dollars;

For steel coal shed, three thousand dollars

For oil house, five hundred dollars;

For band stand, two thousand dollars;

For farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, sixteen thousand dollars;

In all, three hundred and thirty-nine thousand dollars.

Battle Mountain Sanitarium, at Hot Springs, South Dakota:
For current expenses, subsistence, household, hospital, transportation, repairs, and farm, including the same objects specified under this head for the Central Branch, one hundred thousand dollars.

For officers' quarters, twenty-five thousand dollars;

For conservatory, seven thousand five hundred dollars;

In all, one hundred and thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For clothing for all of the Branches, namely: Expenditures for clothing, underclothing, hats, caps, boots, shoes, socks, and overalls; also all sums expended for labor, material, machines, tools, and appliances employed, and for use in the tailor shops, knitting shops, and shoe shops, or other Home shops in which any kind of clothing is made or repaired, three hundred thousand dollars.

For salaries of officers and employees of the Board of Managers, and for outdoor relief and incidental expenses, namely:

For president of the Board of Managers, four thousand dollars; secretary of the Board of Managers, two thousand dollars; general treasurer, who shall not be a member of the Board of Managers, four thousand dollars; inspector-general, three thousand dollars; assistant general treasurer and assistant inspector-general, two thousand five hundred dollars; two assistant inspectors-general, at two thousand five hundred dollars each; clerical services for the offices of the president

and general treasurer, twelve thousand dollars; messenger service for president's office, one hundred and forty-four dollars; clerical services for managers, four thousand five hundred dollars; agents, one thousand eight hundred dollars; for traveling expenses of the Board of Managers, their officers and employees, sixteen thousand dollars; for outdoor relief, one thousand dollars; for rent, medical examinations, stationery, telegrams, and other incidental expenses, seven thousand dollars; in all, sixty-two thousand nine hundred and forty-four dollars.

In all, three million nine hundred and thirteen thousand two hundred and fifty-nine dollars.

STATE OR TERRITORIAL HOMES FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS: For continuing aid to State or Territorial homes for the support of disabled volunteer soldiers, in conformity with the Act approved August twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, including all classes of soldiers admissible to the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, one million seventy-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no part of this appropriation shall be apportioned to any State or Territorial Home until its laws, rules, or regulations respecting the pensions of its inmates be made to conform to the provisions of section four of an Act approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An Act prescribing regulations for the Soldiers' Home located at Washington, in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; but the above proviso shall not apply to any State or Territorial Home into which the wives or widows of soldiers are admitted and maintained: *And provided further*, That no part of this appropriation shall be apportioned to any State or Territorial Home that maintains a bar or canteen where intoxicating liquors are sold.

BACK PAY AND BOUNTY: For payment of amounts for arrears of pay of two and three year volunteers, for bounty to volunteers and their widows and legal heirs, for bounty under the Act of July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and for amounts for commutation of rations to prisoners of war in rebel States, and to soldiers on furlough, that may be certified to be due by the accounting officers of the Treasury during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and six, two hundred thousand dollars.

For payment of amounts for arrears of pay and allowances on account of service of officers and men of the Army during the war with Spain and in the Philippine Islands that may be certified to be due by the accounting officers of the Treasury during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and six, and that are chargeable to the appropriations that have been carried to the surplus fund, one hundred thousand dollars.

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Approved, March 8, 1905.

III...An Act To promote the efficiency of the reserve militia and to encourage rifle practice among the members thereof.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to sell, at the prices at which they are listed for the Army, upon the request of the governors of the several States and Territories, such magazine rifles belonging to the United States as are not necessary for the equipment of the Army and the organized militia, for the use of rifle clubs formed under regulations prepared by the national board for the promotion of rifle practice and approved by the Secretary of War.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized in his discretion to sell to the several States and Territories, as prescribed in section seventeen of the Act approved January twenty-first, nineteen hundred and three, for the use of said clubs, ammunition, ordnance stores, and equipments of the Government standard at the prices at which they are listed for the Army. The practice of the rifle clubs herein provided shall be carried on in conformity to regulations prescribed by the national board for the promotion of rifle practice, approved by the Secretary of War, and the results thereof shall be filed in the office of the Military Secretary of the Army.

Approved, March 8, 1905.

IV...An Act Authorizing the President to reinstate Alexander G. Pendleton, Junior, as a cadet in the United States Military Academy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the

President is hereby authorized to reinstate former cadet Alexander G. Pendleton, junior, to the United States Military Academy at West Point on or at any day after the eleventh day of June, nineteen hundred and five.

Approved, March 2, 1905.

V. Joint Resolution Permitting Ying Hsing Wen and Ting Chia Chen, of China, to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized to permit Ying Hsing Wen and Ting Chia Chen, of China, to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point: *Provided*, That no expense shall be caused to the United States thereby; and that the said Ying Hsing Wen and Ting Chia Chen shall agree to comply fully with all regulations for the police and discipline of the United States Military Academy, and shall be studious and give their utmost efforts to accomplish the courses in the various departments of instruction: *And provided further*, That, in the case of the said Ying Hsing Wen and Ting Chia Chen, the provisions of sections thirteen hundred and twenty and thirteen hundred and twenty-one of the Revised Statutes of the United States shall be suspended.

Approved, March 3, 1905.

[98881. M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 47. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 24, 1905.

I.--1. The prisms and lenses in the telescopes of position finders, azimuth instruments, and sights are not arranged for adjustment by those using them; the taking apart of telescopes for any purpose, and the making of any adjustments other than those provided for in their construction and described in the pamphlets issued by the Ordnance Department, except under the supervision of district armament officers, are therefore forbidden.

2. When telescopes or any instruments of the range-finding and fire-control system for mobile and coast artillery, issued by the Ordnance Department, require repair, a report describing the character and extent of the injuries or defects will be made to the armament officer of the district. In case the repairs or adjustments required by telescopes and other delicate instruments of precision are of such a nature that they can not be made at the post, as above specified, the instruments will be shipped by express to such arsenal as may be designated by the district armament officer.

[987846, M. S. O.]

II.--All searchlights and their accessories now carried on submarine mining property returns will be transferred from the Ordnance Department to the Engineer Department.

The property will be invoiced to the several district artillery engineers, with the following exceptions:

(1) In the case of posts not included in an artillery district, the transfer will be made to the post artillery engineer.

(2) In cases where the property is now accounted for to the Chief of Ordnance by constructing engineer officers, it will merely be dropped from the submarine mining return and taken up on the engineer return. [989988, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 48. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, *March 24, 1906.*

Before a general court-martial which convened at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 37, War Department, February 14, 1905, and of which Colonel ALBERT L. MYER, 11th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant SAMUEL T. ANSELL, 11th Infantry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Second Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th Cavalry.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62nd Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, did write and send direct to the President of the United States, a communication dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, in words and figures as follows:

““JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MISSOURI,

November 15th, 1904.

““THE PRESIDENT,

White House, Washington, D. C.

““SIR:

““I have the honor to state that I have just been tried by General Court-Martial and believe that I have been dismissed from the Army on lying testimony. This Court-Martial would not give me witnesses to defend myself. I was tried to shield others, thus perverting the uses of a Court-Martial. The evidence shows that Colonel Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Captain Slocum, 8th Cavalry, his Adjutant, the two witnesses for the prosecution, both lied under oath and to shield them and others, the Court would not give me the witnesses necessary to defend myself. I have been systematically lied about ever since I have been at this Post by Major Edwards, 4th Cavalry, Major Hammond, 3rd Cavalry, Captain Benson, 4th Cavalry, and others. I have appealed three times for a Court of Inquiry and it was denied me. I have twice preferred charges against Officers who attacked me to clear my record and they were returned without trial. I was reprimanded and insulted officially for having preferred them; this ultimately resulted in my being tried twice. The first time I lost ten files in rank as a result of the trial by Court-Martial. I was found guilty by the first Court on perjured and suborned testimony. Having failed to get redress from my military superiors, I went to the United States District Attorney, D. P. Dyer, in St. Louis, who was disposed at first to assist me but I believe upon his talking the

case over with Officers on duty in St. Louis, and implicated in this affair, he at last informed me that he could not assist me: this in violation of his Oath and Section 1982 Revised Statutes, which states that District Attorneys 'are required to institute proceedings,' etc. Now Mr. President, I earnestly request that you at once order a Court-Martial and have me tried on charges and specifications framed from this letter. I appeal to you as Commander-in-Chief of the Army, as others in military authority have declined to listen to me. Declined to listen to me in order to shield those who have so villianously lied about me. I further request that you direct the Court which you order to furnish me with all the witnesses that I may require to prove my case. The way I have been treated is a scandal to the Army and if this state of affairs is allowed to exist no man can be safe in his reputation and standing. I also earnestly beg that you *direct* United States District Attorney D. P. Dyer to prosecute my case before the United States Courts as I have requested him to do under Section 5518 Revised Statutes. I also request that Captain John O'Shea, 4th Cavalry, who was my counsel during the trial just closed, be detained as my counsel and held at this Post pending my trial. If granted this trial, I stake my Commission that I can convince any fair minded man of the truthfulness of my statements. In the trial just closed I was so hedged about by technicalities and the denial of witnesses as to render my trial an outrageous farce. I want a *full fair* investigation and *all* the witnesses. As stated before, I am willing to be tried on the contents of this letter. There is no other way for me to obtain justice in this Department and Division. I send this direct for it would never reach you through military channels. I most earnestly beg, as an American, that you grant my request. All men fit to hold Commissions in the American Army should be forced to prove such statements as I have made in this letter before a Court-Martial. The trial that I have just undergone was the result of my request to be tried or to have Captain Slocum, 8th Cavalry, tried for falsehood in an official paper, and to shield him and others the court would not give me the witnesses to make the proper defense. They tried to take refuge in a technicality and subterfuge. This will be shown if I am now brought to trial and granted my witnesses. The Court saw this and would not summon my witnesses, thus I believe sacrificing me. It has been officially stated by an officer implicated in this conspiracy that my military career would certainly end. It is plain to me that there is a conspiracy to run me out of the Army.

"Mr. President, I want you try me in order that no conspiracy can run me out of the Army *now or hereafter*. If you do not grant this request I shall be forced out of the Army by those who have so systematically lied about me.

"I have the honor to be, sir,

Your most Obedient Servant.

ALBERT J. MOHN.

2nd Lieutenant, 4th Cavalry."

"Which communication was so transmitted without authority or necessity therefor, in violation of the United States Army Regulations, and was insubordinate, disrespectful and evincing a rebellious spirit towards his superior officers, and their lawful exercise of authority over him. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that 2d Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, did write and send direct to the President of the United States, a communication dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, in words and figures as follows:

"JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MISSOURI,

December 26th, 1904.

"THE PRESIDENT,

The White House, Washington, D. C.

"SIR:

"I have the honor to respectfully call your attention to my letter of November 15th, 1904, in which I have asked to be court-martialed in order that I may clear myself of the false accusations, the libels, and lies that have been placed against my record and character by some of my military superiors to shield themselves. Since my last trial one of the members of the court has stated that other members of the court while in closed session stated that my case should never have been brought to trial, but in as much as Colonel Anderson had testified as he did, they must find me guilty of something in order to clear him and his adjutant, Captain Slocum, both of whom perjured themselves—perjured themselves as witnesses. That the Court did not believe their testimony is shown by its finding of *not guilty* of the charge upon which I was tried.

"I have been twice tried to protect the guilty ones who were my military superiors. The first time I lost ten files; the last time I lost fifty files and two hundred dollars because I tried to protect my honor from libel and slander. Both times I was found guilty of an offence for which I was not tried in direct violation of the law. The first time the finding was reached on perjured and suborned testimony; the last time, on perjured testimony on the part of Colonel Anderson and Captain Slocum, and in order to shield them in their perjury and others in the conspiracy, the Court denied me witnesses for a defence and arbitrarily closed the case and found me guilty of an offence for which I was not even arraigned.

"It has been over three months since the case began and I am still waiting in suspense and humiliation for justice and redress. As far as I know nothing has yet been done to afford me redress for the injustice done me except an investigation by Major Nichols, Inspector General's Department, which was purely formal and a

farce on its face. I have already suffered enough from the investigations of my military superiors and I have no faith in them.

"If the government is honest in its intention to grant me redress and justice, no investigation by an inspector is necessary, for a careful perusal of the record of my last trial will prove the truth of my statements.

"What I want, Mr. President, is a *full, fair* investigation with all my witnesses and documentary evidence by a fair-minded court, and the only way I know is to try me as I requested in my letter of November 15th.

"There appears to be an opinion that the matter will be delayed until Colonel Anderson and Captain Slocum leave for the Philippines in February, and then my military superiors will deem it '*impracticable*' to bring the case to trial owing to the absence of these witnesses. It is this '*so called impracticability*' of my military superiors that I fear and I therefore address this letter to you with the urgent request that I be brought to trial as requested in my letter of November 15th, and that it be at the earliest possible moment. I most earnestly beg that my request for trial may be granted by you. If you do not see that I obtain justice there is no doubt in my mind but that some of my military superiors may try again for the third time to take my commission. I have no faith in the justice and honor of some of them, therefore I appeal to you.

"I trust this letter will not seem importunate but I am still under the control of the officers who have lied to place me in my present position and my experience in the army thus far has taught me that I cannot place any faith in many of my superiors. As shown in my case, twice an illegal sentence was approved by both Department Commanders, General Bates and General Wint, to shield those implicated in my trial.

"I send this direct for it would never reach you through military channels.

"I am, sir, your most obedient servant,

ALBERT J. MOHN,
2nd Lieut., 4th Cavalry."

"Which communication was so transmitted without authority or necessity therefor, in violation of the United States Army Regulations, and was insubordinate, disrespectful and evincing a rebellious spirit towards his superior officers, and their lawful exercise of authority over him. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904."

CHARGE II.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, complaining

of his treatment on a recent trial before a general court-martial, at said Jefferson Barracks, did make use of the following language concerning Colonel George S. Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Captain Stephen L'H. Slocum, 8th Cavalry, his superior officers:

"The evidence shows that Colonel Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Captain Slocum, 8th Cavalry, his adjutant, the two witnesses for the prosecution, both lied under oath."

"Which language is maliciously false and was known by him, the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, to be false when he wrote it. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, complaining of his treatment on a recent trial before a general court-martial, convened at said Post per Special Orders, No. 198, Department of the Missouri, series of 1904, in which communication he, the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, charged that Colonel Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Captain Slocum, 8th Cavalry, had both lied under oath, did make use of the following language concerning said officers and the said court respectively:

"and to shield them and others the court would not give me the witnesses necessary to defend myself."

"Which language is false, was known to him, the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, to be false when he wrote it, and was maliciously designed to reflect upon the integrity and fairness of said court. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, did make use of the following language concerning certain of his superior officers at said Post:

"I have been systematically lied about ever since I have been at this post by Major Edwards, 4th Cavalry, Major Hammond, 8rd Cavalry, Captain Benson, 4th Cavalry, and others."

"Which language is false, was known by him, the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, to be false when he wrote it, and was maliciously defamatory of the good name and character of said superior officers. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 4th—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, did make use of the following language:

"'As stated before, I am willing to be tried on the contents of this letter. There is no other way for me to obtain justice in this Department and Division.'

"The latter part of which statement, to wit: 'there is no other way for me to obtain justice in the Department and Division' is false, was known by him the said Lieutenant *Mohn* to be false when he wrote it, and was intended to convey the false impression that justice and fair treatment had been denied him by said Department and Division Commanders. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 5th—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, complaining of his treatment on a recent trial before a general court-martial at said Jefferson Barracks, did make use of the following language concerning his Post Commander, Colonel George S. Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Post Adjutant, Captain Stephen L'H. Slocum, 8th Cavalry:

"'both of whom perjured themselves—perjured themselves as witnesses.'

"Which language is maliciously false and was known by him the said Lieutenant *Mohn* to be false when he wrote it. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904."

Specification 6th—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, did make use of the following language concerning certain trials by

general court-martial of the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, at said Post:

" 'I have been tried twice to protect the guilty ones who are my military superiors. * * * Both times I was found guilty of an offence for which I was not tried, in direct violation of law.'

" Which language is false, was known by him the said Lieutenant *Mohn* to be false when he wrote it, and was intended to convey the false impression that he has been subjected to unjust treatment by his superiors and unlawfully dealt with by the courts aforesaid in finding him guilty of a lesser offense than that for which he was arraigned. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904."

Specification 7th—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, did make use of the following language referring to certain trials by general court-martial of said Lieutenant *Mohn*, at said Post:

" 'The first time the finding was reached on perjured and suborned testimony; the last time on perjured testimony on the part of Colonel Anderson, and Captain Slocum, and in order to shield them in their perjury and others in the conspiracy, the court denied me witnesses for a defense and arbitrarily closed the case and found me guilty of an offense for which I was not even arraigned.'

" Which language is false, was known by him the said Lieutenant *Mohn* to be false when he wrote it, and was intended to convey the false impression that he, Lieutenant *Mohn*, had been unlawfully dealt with by said courts in lending their aid to a conspiracy against him and in finding him guilty of a lesser offense than that for which he was arraigned. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904."

Specification 8th—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, in a communication sent to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, did make use of the following language complaining of his treatment at said post:

"I am still under the control of the officers who have lied and placed me in my present position, and my experience in the Army thus far has taught me that I can not place any faith in many of my superiors. As shown in my case, twice an illegal sentence was approved by both Department Commanders, General Bates and General Wint, to shield those implicated in my trial."

"Which language is false, was known by him the said Lieutenant *Mohn* to be false when he wrote it, and was intended to reflect unjustly upon his superiors, and to convey the false impression that justice and fair treatment had been deliberately denied him by said Department Commanders. This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904."

CHARGE III.—"Behaving with disrespect toward his Commanding Officer, in violation of the 20th Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, did behave with disrespect toward his Commanding Officer, Colonel George S. Anderson, 8th Cavalry, Post Commander at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, by making use, in a communication sent by him to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, November 15th, 1904, of the following language referring to a recent trial by general court-martial of the said Lieutenant *Mohn*, at said Post:

"The evidence shows that Colonel Anderson, 8th Cavalry, and Captain Slocum, 8th Cavalry, his Adjutant, the two witnesses for the prosecution both lied under oath."

"This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about November 15th, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that 2nd Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, did behave himself with disrespect toward his commanding Officer, Colonel George S. Anderson, 8th Cavalry, Post Commander at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, by making use, in a communication sent by him to the President of the United States, written and dated at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, December 26th, 1904, of the following language, referring to the testimony of the said Colonel Anderson at a recent

trial by general court-martial of the said Lieutenant Mohn, at said Post:

“‘but in as much as Colonel Anderson had testified as he did, they must find me guilty of something in order to clear him and his Adjutant, Captain Slocum, both of whom perjured themselves—perjured themselves as witnesses.’

“This at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on or about December 26th, 1904.”

To all of which charges and specifications the accused pleaded “not guilty,” after the court had overruled what he termed a demurrer to the 1st charge and its specifications; a motion to make definite the same charge and its specifications, and a plea in abatement to the 5th, 6th and 7th specifications of the 2d charge and to the 3d charge and its specifications.

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 2d Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the CHARGE, “Guilty.”

Charge II.

Of the 1st Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 2d Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 3d Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 4th Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 5th Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 6th Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 7th Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 8th Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the CHARGE, “Guilty.”

Charge III.

Of the 1st Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the 2d Specification, “Guilty.”

Of the CHARGE, “Guilty.”

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, 2d Lieutenant Albert J. Mohn, 4th Cavalry, “to be dismissed the service.”

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The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial

in the foregoing case of 2d Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, 4th Cavalry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 20th, 1905.*

The proceedings, findings and sentence in the foregoing case of Second Lieutenant *Albert J. Mohn*, Fourth Cavalry, are approved: the sentence will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Lieutenant *Mohn* ceases to be an officer of the Army from March 25, 1905. [991506, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.





GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 49. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 25, 1906.

By direction of the President, General Orders, No. 113, October 29, 1902, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, prescribing the organization of the Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry, is revoked and the following substituted therefor:

The regiment will be designated the "Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry" and will be constituted as follows:

- 1 lieutenant colonel.
- 2 majors.
- 9 captains, one of whom shall be available for detail as regimental staff officer.
- 1 assistant surgeon with the rank of captain (so long only as that office is held by the present incumbent).
- 10 first lieutenants, two of whom shall be available for detail as battalion adjutants.
- 10 second lieutenants, two of whom shall be available for detail as battalion quartermasters and commissaries.
- 8 companies of 65 enlisted men each 520
- Regimental sergeant major..... 1
- Hospital steward (so long only as that position is held by the present incumbent) 1
- Battalion sergeants major..... 2
- Color sergeants..... 2
- Regimental band (organized as provided for infantry). 28

Total number of enlisted men in regiment..... 554

Each company will consist of—

- 1 first sergeant.
- 1 quartermaster sergeant.
- 4 sergeants.
- 6 corporals.
- 2 cooks.
- 2 musicians.
- 1 artificer.
- 48 privates.

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[985406, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 50. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 29, 1906.

The following acts of the Congress are published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

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I.—An Act Making appropriations for fortifications and other works of defense, for the armament thereof, for the procurement of heavy ordnance for trial and service, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sums of money herein provided for be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be available until expended, namely:

FORTIFICATIONS AND OTHER WORKS OF DEFENSE.

For modernizing older emplacements, four hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For construction of fire control stations and accessories, including purchase of lands and rights of way, and for the purchase, installation, operation, and maintenance of necessary lines and means of electrical communication, including telephones, dial and other telegraphs, wiring and all special instruments, apparatus, and materials, coast signal apparatus, and salaries of electrical experts, engineers, and other necessary employees, connected with the use of coast artillery; for the purchase, manufacture, and test of range finders and other instruments for fire control at the fortifications, and the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, one million dollars.

For purchase and installation of searchlights for the defenses of our most important harbors, two hundred thousand dollars.

For the protection, preservation, and repair of fortifications for which there may be no special appropriation available, three hundred thousand dollars.

For preparation of plans for fortifications, five thousand dollars.

For tools, electrical and engine supplies and appliances, to be furnished by the Engineer Department, for the use of the troops for maintaining and operating electric light and power plants in gun and mortar batteries, forty thousand dollars.

For construction of sea walls and embankments, nineteen thousand four hundred dollars.

For the construction of mining casemates, cable galleries, torpedo storehouses, cable tanks, and other structures necessary for the operation, preservation, and care of submarine mines and their accessories, four hundred thousand dollars, to be expended by the Engineer Department.

It shall be the duty of the Secretary of War to apply the money herein appropriated for fortifications and other works of defense, in carrying on the various works, by contract or otherwise, as may be most economical and advantageous to the Government. Where said works are done by contract, such contract shall be made after sufficient public advertisement for proposals, in such manner and form as the Secretary of War shall prescribe; and such contracts shall be made with the lowest responsible bidders, accompanied by such securities as the Secretary of War shall require, conditioned for the faithful prosecution and completion of the work according to such contract.

ARMAMENT OF FORTIFICATIONS.

For the purchase, manufacture, test, and issue of machine and automatic guns, including their carriages, sights, implements, equipments, and the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, seventy thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of mountain, field, and siege cannon, including their carriages, sights, implements, equipments, and the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, six hundred thousand dollars.

Balances remaining unexpended from amounts appropriated by Act of May seventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, for siege breech-loading mortars, steel, of seven-inch caliber; by Act of May twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred, for carriages and platforms for steel field mortars of three and six-tenths inch caliber, including implements and equipments; and by Act of March first, nineteen hundred and one, for five-inch breech loading rifles, siege, and for carriages for steel breech-loading rifles, siege, of five-inch caliber, including equipments, platform, and ammunition wagons, are hereby made available

for such objects as are provided for by the foregoing appropriation, and such funds will hereafter be accounted for under this same heading of appropriation.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of ammunition for machine and automatic guns, and for mountain, field, and siege cannon, including the necessary experiments in connection therewith, and the machinery necessary for its manufacture at the arsenals, two hundred thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, test, and issue of seacoast cannon for coast defense, including their carriages, sights, implements, equipments, and the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, five hundred thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of ammunition for seacoast cannon, including the necessary experiments in connection therewith, and the machinery necessary for its manufacture at the arsenals, four hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of inspecting instruments for the manufacture of cannon, carriages, and ammunition; range finders and other instruments for fire control at the fortifications and in field batteries, and the machinery necessary to their manufacture at the arsenals, one hundred and fifty-five thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of ammunition, subcaliber tubes, and other accessories for seacoast artillery practice, including the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, three hundred and forty-eight thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, and test of ammunition, subcaliber tubes, and other accessories for mountain, field, and siege artillery practice, including the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, seventy-seven thousand dollars.

For the alteration and maintenance of the seacoast artillery, including the purchase and manufacture of machinery, tools, and materials necessary for the work and the expenses of the mechanics engaged thereon, five hundred and sixty thousand dollars.

For eight-inch, ten-inch, and twelve-inch guns, manufactured by contract, under the provisions of the fortifications Acts approved August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety, and February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, twenty-eight thousand dollars.

PROVING GROUND, SANDY HOOK, NEW JERSEY.

For current expenses and maintenance of the ordnance proving ground, Sandy Hook, New Jersey, including expenses incident to the transportation of men and material therefor, general repairs and alterations and accessories incidental to testing and proving ordnance, including hire of assistants for the Ordnance Board, skilled mechanical labor, purchase of instruments and other supplies, building and repairing butts and targets, clearing and grading ranges, fifty thousand two hundred and forty-three dollars.

For the necessary expenses of officers while temporarily employed on ordnance duties at the proving ground and absent from their proper station, at the rate of two dollars and fifty cents per diem while so employed, and the compensation of draftsmen while employed in the Army Ordnance Bureau on ordnance construction, eighteen thousand seven hundred dollars.

For repairs of railroad tracks connecting the proving ground with the Central Railroad of New Jersey, six thousand dollars.

For straightening railroad from Highland Beach, New Jersey, to proving ground, ten thousand dollars.

WATERVLIET ARSENAL, WATERVLIET, NEW YORK.

For alteration of cranes at seacoast gun factory, Watervliet Arsenal, fourteen thousand dollars.

SUBMARINE MINES.

For the purchase of submarine mines and necessary appliances to operate them for closing the channels leading to our principal seaports, and continuing torpedo experiments, for the purchase of the necessary machinery, tools, and implements for the repair shop of the torpedo depot at Fort Totten, New York, and for extra-duty pay to soldiers necessarily employed for periods not less than ten days on work in connection with the issue, receipt, and care of submarine mining material at the torpedo depot, three hundred thousand dollars.

FORTIFICATIONS IN INSULAR POSSESSIONS.

For construction of seacoast batteries in the insular possessions, seven hundred thousand dollars.

For the purchase, manufacture, test, and issue of seacoast cannon for coast defense for the insular possessions, including their carriages, sights, implements, equipments, and the ma-

chinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

Provided, That the Secretary of War is authorized to mount two twelve-inch and three ten-inch breech-loading rifles on a corresponding number of carriages for which appropriation was made for the insular possessions in the fortification Act approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and four, and in addition thereto two twelve-inch and two ten-inch rifles for the carriages for which estimates are now submitted, these guns being surplus on hand in excess of the number of carriages provided for emplacements in the United States.

For purchase, manufacture, and test of ammunition for sea-coast cannon, for the insular possessions, including the necessary experiments in connection therewith, and the machinery necessary for its manufacture at the arsenals, one hundred thousand dollars.

For purchase, manufacture, and test of inspecting instruments for the manufacture of cannon, carriages, and ammunition; range finders and other instruments for fire control at the fortifications in the insular possessions, and the machinery necessary for their manufacture at the arsenals, sixteen thousand dollars.

Hereafter all estimates for fortifications for insular possessions of the United States shall be made and submitted to Congress showing the amount proposed to be expended at each harbor in each insular possession.

BOARD OF ORDNANCE AND FORTIFICATION.

To enable the Board to make all needful and proper purchases, experiments, and tests to ascertain, with a view to their utilization by the Government, the most effective guns, small arms, cartridges, projectiles, fuses, explosives, torpedoes, armor plates, and other implements and engines of war, and to purchase or cause to be manufactured, under authority of the Secretary of War, such guns, carriages, armor plates, and other war material as may, in the judgment of the Board, be necessary in the proper discharge of the duty devolved upon it by the Act approved September twenty-second, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight; to pay the salary of the civilian member of the Board of Ordnance and Fortification provided by the Act of February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for the necessary traveling expenses of said member when traveling on duty as contemplated in said Act; for the payment of the necessary expenses

of the Board, including a per diem allowance to each officer detailed to serve thereon, when employed on duty away from his permanent station, of two dollars and fifty cents a day; and for the test of experimental guns, carriages, and other devices procured in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Ordnance and Fortification, ten thousand dollars, the expenditure of which shall be made by the several bureaus of the War Department heretofore having jurisdiction of the same, or by the Board itself, as the Secretary of War may direct: *Provided*, That before any money shall be expended in the construction or test of any gun, gun carriage, ammunition, or implements under the supervision of the said Board, the Board shall be satisfied, after due inquiry, that the Government of the United States has a lawful right to use the inventions involved in the construction of such gun, gun carriage, ammunition, or implements, or that the construction or test is made at the request of a person either having such lawful right or authorized to convey the same to the Government.

That all material purchased under the foregoing provisions of this Act shall be of American manufacture, except in cases when, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, it is to the manifest interest of the United States to make purchases in limited quantities abroad, which material shall be admitted free of duty.

Approved, March 8, 1905.

II. An Act Making appropriations for the support of the Military Academy for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the Military Academy for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six.

PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT.

For pay of seven professors, twenty-three thousand dollars;
For pay of one associate professor of mathematics (major), in addition to pay as captain, five hundred dollars;

Provided, That hereafter the associate professor of mathematics shall have pay and allowances of a major, and the posi-

tion shall be filled by the detail of an officer from the Army at large;

For pay of one chaplain, two thousand dollars;

For pay of the master of the sword, two thousand dollars;

Provided, That the master of the sword shall have the relative rank and shall be entitled to the pay, allowances, and emoluments of a captain mounted;

For pay of cadets, two hundred and forty thousand dollars;

In all, for permanent establishment, two hundred and sixty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For extra pay of officers of the Army on detached service at the Military Academy:

For one commandant of cadets (lieutenant-colonel), in addition to pay as captain, not mounted, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of one instructor of practical military engineering (major), in addition to pay as captain, mounted, five hundred dollars;

For pay of one instructor of ordnance and science of gunnery (major), in addition to pay as captain, mounted, five hundred dollars;

For pay of eight assistant professors (captains), in addition to pay as first lieutenants, not mounted, four thousand dollars;

For pay of five senior instructors of cavalry, artillery, and infantry tactics, ordnance and gunnery, and practical military engineering (captains), in addition to pay as first lieutenants, not mounted, two thousand five hundred dollars;

For pay of six assistant instructors of cavalry, artillery, and infantry tactics (captains), in addition to pay as second lieutenants, not mounted, three thousand six hundred dollars;

For pay of one adjutant, in addition to pay as second lieutenant, not mounted, six hundred dollars;

For pay of one treasurer and quartermaster and commissary of cadets, in addition to pay as captain, not mounted, seven hundred dollars;

For pay of one line officer on duty in Quartermaster's Department, in addition to pay as first lieutenant, mounted, four hundred dollars;

For pay of one associate professor of modern languages (major), in addition to pay as captain, five hundred dollars;

For additional pay of professors and officers (and officers on increased rank), or length of service, nine thousand eight hundred dollars;

In all, for extra pay of officers of [the] Army on detached

service at the Military Academy, twenty-four thousand three hundred dollars.

For pay of the Military Academy Band, field musicians, general army service, cavalry and artillery detachment, and enlisted men on detached service, and extra pay for enlisted men on special duty:

For pay of military band: One band sergeant and assistant leader, six hundred dollars;

Twelve enlisted musicians, at thirty-four dollars per month, four thousand eight hundred and ninety-six dollars;

Twelve enlisted musicians, at twenty-five dollars per month, three thousand six hundred dollars;

Sixteen enlisted musicians, at seventeen dollars per month, three thousand two hundred and sixty-four dollars;

Additional pay for length of service, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight dollars;

Clothing on discharge, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For interest on deposits of enlisted men on discharge, three hundred dollars;

For pay of field musicians: One sergeant, with pay of first-class musician, four hundred and eight dollars;

One corporal, one hundred and eighty dollars;

Twenty-two privates, three thousand four hundred and thirty-two dollars;

Additional pay for length of service, ninety dollars;

Clothing on discharge, nine hundred dollars;

Travel allowance to enlisted men on discharge, seventy-five dollars;

Interest on deposits of enlisted men repaid on discharge, fifty dollars;

For pay of general army service: One first sergeant, four hundred and eight dollars;

Seven sergeants, one thousand five hundred and twelve dollars;

Two cooks, four hundred and thirty-two dollars;

Eight corporals, one thousand four hundred and forty dollars;

One hundred and fifty-seven privates, twenty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-two dollars;

Additional pay for length of service, nine thousand four hundred and sixty dollars;

Clothing on discharge, three thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars;

Interest on deposits of enlisted men, one thousand one hundred and four dollars;

For travel allowances due enlisted men on discharge, one dollar and ninety-six cents;

For pay of cavalry detachment: One first sergeant, three hundred dollars;

Five sergeants, one thousand and eighty dollars;

Two cooks, four hundred and thirty-two dollars;

Five corporals, nine hundred dollars;

Two trumpeters, three hundred and twelve dollars;

Two farriers and blacksmiths, three hundred and sixty dollars;

One saddler, one hundred and eighty dollars;

One wagoner, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars;

Eighty-one privates (cavalry), twelve thousand six hundred and thirty-six dollars;

Additional pay for length of service, two thousand one hundred and eighty dollars;

Clothing on discharge, one thousand eight hundred dollars;

Travel allowances to enlisted men on discharge, eight hundred and twenty dollars;

Interest on deposits to enlisted men, one hundred dollars;

For pay of artillery detachment: One first sergeant, three hundred dollars;

Four sergeants, eight hundred and sixty-four dollars;

One cook, two hundred and sixteen dollars;

Three corporals, five hundred and forty dollars;

One farrier and blacksmith, one hundred and eighty dollars;

One saddler, one hundred and eighty dollars;

One wagoner, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars;

Two trumpeters, three hundred and twelve dollars;

Forty-six privates, seven thousand one hundred and seventy-six dollars;

Additional pay for length of service, one thousand two hundred dollars;

Clothing on discharge, one thousand two hundred dollars;

Interest on deposits due enlisted men, one hundred and twenty-five dollars;

Travel allowances to enlisted men on discharge, six hundred and fifty dollars;

For extra pay of one ordnance soldier as draftsman and lithographic printer, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and forty-three dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one ordnance soldier as machinist, at fifty

cents per day, one hundred and forty-three dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one ordnance soldier as clerk, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and forty-three dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one ordnance soldier when employed in department of ordnance and gunnery, at thirty-five cents per day, eighty-four dollars;

For extra pay of two enlisted men employed as clerks in the office of the adjutant, United States Military Academy, at fifty cents each per day, three hundred and sixty-five dollars;

For extra pay of two enlisted men employed as clerks in the office of the commandant of cadets, at fifty cents each per day, three hundred and sixty-five dollars;

For extra pay of four enlisted men as printers, at headquarters United States Military Academy, at fifty cents each per day, six hundred and twenty-six dollars;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed as watchman, at thirty-five cents per day, one hundred and ninety-one dollars and sixty-three cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed as trumpeter at the cadet barracks, at thirty-five cents per day, one hundred and fifty-nine dollars and sixty-nine cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed in the philosophical department observatory as a mechanic, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents.

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed in the philosophical department in care of apparatus, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed in the chemical department, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed in the department of drawing, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man employed in the mathematical department, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents.

For extra pay of two enlisted men (cavalrymen) when performing special skilled mechanical labor, at fifty cents each per day, three hundred and thirteen dollars;

For extra pay of one enlisted man (cavalryman) employed as saddler, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man on duty in charge of engi-

neer property and fatigue, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of four enlisted men as assistants and attendants at the library, at fifty cents each per day, six hundred and eighty-four dollars;

For extra pay of one enlisted man as clerk in the department of practical military engineering and to the officer in charge of waterworks and works of construction at the Military Academy, at fifty cents per day, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of three enlisted men as clerks in the office of the quartermaster United States Military Academy, at fifty cents each per day, four hundred and sixty-nine dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of two enlisted men (artillerymen) when performing extra mechanical labor, at fifty cents each per day, three hundred and thirteen dollars;

For extra pay of two enlisted men as messengers in the office of the adjutant United States Military Academy, at thirty five cents each per day, two hundred and nineteen dollars and ten cents;

For extra pay of one enlisted man in charge of property and saddle equipment pertaining to riding and equitation other than military, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents;

For extra pay of one first sergeant (cavalryman), at fifty cents per day, one hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents;

In all, for pay of Military Academy band, field musicians, general army service, cavalry detachment, artillery detachment, enlisted men on detached service, and extra pay of enlisted men on special duty at the Military Academy, one hundred and three thousand five hundred and twenty-eight dollars and thirty-eight cents:

Provided, That the extra pay provided by the preceding paragraphs shall not be paid to any enlisted man who receives extra duty pay under existing laws or army regulations: *Provided further*, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized in his discretion to nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint upon the retired list of the Army, with the rank of brigadier-general, Joseph R. Hawley, formerly a brigadier-general and brevet major-general of volunteers during the civil war: *Provided further*, That the President of the United States, be, and he is hereby, authorized, in his discretion to nominate and

by and with the consent of the Senate to appoint upon the retired list of the Army, with the rank of Brigadier-General, Peter Josef Osterhaus, formerly a Major-General of Volunteers during the Civil War.

PAY OF CIVILIANS.

For pay of one teacher of music, one thousand four hundred dollars;

Section eleven hundred and eleven of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 1111. The Military Academy band shall hereafter consist of one teacher of music, who shall be the leader of the band, one enlisted band sergeant and assistant leader and of forty enlisted musicians. The teacher of music shall receive the pay of a second lieutenant, not mounted; the enlisted band sergeant and assistant leader shall receive six hundred dollars per year; and of the enlisted musicians of the band, twelve shall each receive thirty-four dollars per month, twelve shall each receive twenty-five dollars per month, and the remaining sixteen shall each receive seventeen dollars per month, and each of the aforesaid enlisted men shall also be entitled to the clothing, fuel, rations, and other allowances of musicians of cavalry; and the said teacher of music, the band sergeant and assistant leader, and the enlisted musicians of the band shall be entitled to the same benefits in respect to pay, emoluments, and retirement arising from longevity, reenlistment, and length of service as are, or may hereafter become, applicable to other officers or enlisted men of the Army."

For clerk to the disbursing officer and quartermaster, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For clerk to adjutant in charge of cadet records, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For one clerk to the adjutant, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For clerk to treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For one clerk to the quartermaster, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For two civilian instructors of French, to be employed under rules prescribed by the Secretary of War, at two thousand dollars per year each, four thousand dollars;

For two civilian instructors in Spanish, at two thousand dollars per year each, to be employed under rules prescribed by the Secretary of War, four thousand dollars;

For two expert civilian instructors in fencing, broadsword exercises, and other military gymnastics as may be required to perfect this part of the training of cadets, to be selected and appointed by the Superintendent of the Military Academy, three thousand dollars;

For pay of one clerk and stenographer in the office of the quartermaster and disbursing officer, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of one clerk in office of the quartermaster, to be immediately available, and to be selected and appointed by the Superintendent, one thousand dollars;

For pay of one librarian, three thousand dollars;

For pay of librarian's assistant, one thousand dollars;

For pay of one superintendent of gas works, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For pay of engineer of heating and ventilating apparatus for the academic building, the cadet barracks and office building, cadet hospital, chapel, and library, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For pay of assistant engineer of same, one thousand dollars;

For pay of eleven firemen, six thousand six hundred dollars;

For pay of one draftsman in department of civil and military engineering, one thousand dollars;

For pay of mechanic and attendant skilled in the technical preparations necessary to chemical and electrical lectures and to the instruction in mineralogy and geology, one thousand dollars;

For pay of mechanic assistant in department of natural and experimental philosophy, one thousand dollars;

For pay of custodian of academy building, one thousand dollars;

For pay of one electrician, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of one civilian plumber, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of assistant plumber, nine hundred dollars;

For pay of one scavenger, at sixty dollars a month, seven hundred and twenty dollars;

For compensation of chapel organist, two hundred dollars;

For pay of superintendent of post cemetery, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of engineer and janitor for Memorial Hall, nine hundred dollars;

For pay of printer at headquarters United States Military Academy, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of one janitress, Memorial Hall, six hundred dollars;

For pay of one master mechanic, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For pay of attendant and skilled photographer in the department of drawing, one thousand dollars;

For pay of one typewriter, copyist, and attendant in charge of the library in the department of law and history, seven hundred and fifty dollars;

For pay of one stenographer and typewriter in the adjutant's office, six hundred dollars;

For pay of one overseer of the waterworks, five hundred and forty dollars;

For pay of engineer of steam, electric, and refrigerating apparatus for the cadets' mess, to be selected and appointed by the Superintendent of the United States Military Academy, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For pay of one assistant engineer of steam, electric, and refrigerating apparatus for the cadets' mess, to be selected and appointed by the Superintendent of the United States Military Academy, seven hundred and twenty dollars;

For pay of one copyist, typewriter, and attendant in the department of modern languages, to be selected and appointed by the Superintendent and to be immediately available, seven hundred and fifty dollars;

In all, to civilians employed at Military Academy, fifty-five thousand two hundred and eighty dollars.

For current and ordinary expenses as follows:

For expenses of the Board of Visitors, including mileage, three thousand five hundred dollars;

Contingencies for Superintendent of the Academy, two thousand dollars;

Repairs and improvements, namely: Timber, planks, boards, joists, wall strips, laths, shingles, slate, tin, sheet lead, zinc, nails, screws, locks, hinges, glass, paints, turpentine, oils, varnish, brushes, stone, brick, flag, lime, cement, plaster hair, sewer and drain pipe, blasting powder, fuse, iron, steel, tools, machinery, mantles, and other similar materials, renewing roofs, and for pay of architect overseer and citizen mechanics, and labor employed upon repairs and improvements that can not be done by enlisted men, forty thousand dollars;

For fuel and apparatus, namely: Coal, wood, charcoal, stoves, grates, heaters, furnaces, ranges and fixtures, fire

bricks, clay, sand, and for repairs of steam heating apparatus, grates, stoves, heaters, ranges, and furnaces, mica, thirty thousand dollars;

For gas pipes, gas and electric fixtures, electric lamps, and lighting supplies, lamp-posts, gasometers and retorts, and annual repairs of the same, two thousand five hundred dollars;

For fuel for cadets' mess hall, shops, and laundry, fourteen thousand dollars;

For postage and telegrams, three hundred and fifty dollars;

For stationery, namely: Blank books, paper, envelopes, quills, steel pens, rubbers, erasers, pencils, mucilage, wax, wafers, folders, fasteners, rules, files, ink, inkstands, typewriters, typewriting supplies, office furniture, penholders, tape, desk knives, blotting pads, and rubber bands, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For transportation of materials, discharged cadets, and for ferriages, and for transportation of first class of cadets to and from Gettysburg battlefield, Watervliet Arsenal, and Sandy Hook proving grounds, three thousand dollars;

Printing: For printing and binding, type, materials for office, including repairs to motor and machinery, diplomas for graduates, annual registers, blanks, and monthly reports to parents of cadets, one thousand five hundred dollars;

For department of cavalry, artillery, and infantry tactics: Tan bark or other proper cover for riding hall, to be purchased in open market upon written order of the Superintendent, six hundred dollars;

For camp stools, camp and office furniture and repairs to same, and door mats for cadet barracks, sinks, and guard-house, six hundred and fifty dollars;

For stationery, typewriting supplies and repairs, for use of instructors and assistant instructors of tactics; for books and maps, binding books, and mounting maps, four hundred and twenty-five dollars;

For repairs and improvements of dressing rooms, platform, and swimming tank, two hundred and twenty dollars;

For silk and worsted sashes for cadet officers and acting officers, two hundred and twenty dollars;

For foils, masks, belts, fencing gloves, fencing jackets, gaiters, sabers, and repairs, four hundred dollars;

For purchase of one typewriter, complete, with cabinet for same, one hundred and twenty-five dollars;

For bookcases for library in dialectic hall and Young Men's Christian Association hall, one hundred dollars;

For department of civil and military engineering: Models, maps, purchase and repair of instruments, apparatus, drawing boards, desks, chairs, shelves, and cases for books and instruments, text-books, books of reference, and stationery for the use of instructors, and contingencies, one thousand dollars;

For department of natural and experimental philosophy: Additions to apparatus to illustrate the principles of mechanics, acoustics, optics, and astronomy; books of reference, scientific periodicals, text-books, stationery, materials, and repairs; and for repairs to the observatory buildings and repairs to clocks, one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars;

For department of instruction in mathematics: Text-books, books of reference, binding, and stationery; for tables of logarithms; for rules and triangles; for purchase of geometrical drawings and models; for cases for geometrical models; for office desks, chairs, bookcases, and office fittings; and for contingencies; seven hundred and twenty-five dollars;

For department of chemistry, mineralogy, and geology: Chemicals, chemical apparatus, glass and porcelain ware, paper, wire, sheet metal, ores, photographic apparatus and materials; rough specimens, fossils, and for apparatus and materials to be used in the practical determination of mineralogical and geological specimens; pencils and paper for the practical instruction in the same branches, and for gradual increase and improvement of the cabinet; for repairs and additions to electric, magnetic, pneumatic, thermic, and optical apparatus; for purchase of laboratory and power-room machinery and apparatus and installation of same; for models, maps, and diagrams, books of reference, text-books, and stationery for use of instructors; and for contingent expenses not otherwise provided for, three thousand six hundred and thirty dollars;

For department of drawing: Drawing material, instruments, and stationery for use of instructors; repairs to models and purchase of new models; desks, stretchers, drawing boards, racks, and stands; framing drawings; books and periodicals on art, architecture, topography, and technology; binding maps, books, and so forth; repairs to stereopticon and purchase of lantern slides; photographic apparatus and material; preparation of new data sheets and illustrated pamphlets for use of cadets; purchase of new instruments and repair of old ones, for use of cadets; and for contingent expenses, one thousand two hundred and thirty dollars;

For twelve new desks for cadets, one hundred and twenty dollars;

For one map-filing case, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For one typewriter, with tabulator and cabinet, one hundred and thirty-two dollars;

For one oscillating mimeograph, fifty dollars;

For blueprinting frame, with window rails and pad, eighty dollars;

For rapid photographic lens and shutter, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For department of modern languages: For stationery, text-books, and books of reference for use of instructors, for repairs of books and apparatus and for office furniture, and for printing examination papers, and other necessary papers, and for contingencies, five hundred and ninety-eight dollars;

For department of law and history: For stationery, text-books, and books of reference for the use of instructors, maps, map fixtures, furniture, and for repairs to the same, for rebinding books and periodicals, and for contingencies, five hundred dollars;

For department of practical military engineering: For purchase and repair of instruments; transportation; purchase of tools, implements, and materials, and for extra-duty pay of engineer soldiers, as follows, namely: For instruments for use in instructing cadets in making reconnaissances; photographic apparatus and material for field photography; drawing instruments and material for platting reconnaissances; surveying instruments; instruments and material for signaling and field telegraphy; transportation of field parties; tools and material for the preservation, augmentation, and repair of wooden pontoon, and one canvas pontoon train; sapping and mining tools and material; rope; cordage; material for rafts, and for spar and trestle bridges; intrenching tools; tools and material for the repair of Fort Clinton and the batteries of the Academy, and for extra-duty pay of engineer soldiers, at fifty cents per day each, when performing special skilled mechanical labor in the department of practical military engineering; for models, books of reference, and stationery, and for extra pay of one engineer soldier as assistant in photographic laboratory, and in charge of photographic laboratory, photographic apparatus, materials, and supplies, at fifty cents per day, two thousand dollars;

For department of ordnance and gunnery: Purchase and repair of instruments, models, and apparatus, and purchase

of necessary material; for the purchase of samples of arms and accoutrements other than those supplied to the military service; for books of reference, text-books, stationery, and lithographic printing materials, and for contingencies, four hundred and fifty dollars;

Manufacture or purchase of models of breech mechanisms of cannon, rapid fire guns, small arms, and the various machines and tools used in their manufacture, for cadet instruction, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For purchase of machines, tools, and material for practical instruction of cadets in wood and metal working, five hundred dollars;

For a course of lectures for the more complete instruction of cadets, one thousand two hundred dollars;

In all, for current and ordinary expenses, one hundred and sixteen thousand six hundred and fifty-five dollars.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

For commercial periodicals, stationery, office furniture and supplies, and for binding orders, circulars, and so forth, for the office of the treasurer, United States Military Academy, one hundred and eighty dollars;

For filing cabinets and card indexes for same for office of the treasurer, United States Military Academy, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For stationery for office of commissary of cadets, namely: Record books, blank books, paper for printing menus, laundry lists, and so forth, envelopes, pens, mucilage, and other items of stationery, twenty-five dollars;

For gas coal, oil, candles, lanterns, matches, chimneys, and wicking for lighting the Academy building, chapel, library, cadet barracks, mess hall, shops, hospital, offices, stables, and riding hall, sidewalks, camp, and wharfs, ten thousand dollars;

For water pipe, plumbing, and repairs, five thousand dollars;

For cleaning public buildings (not quarters), two thousand five hundred dollars;

For soap, lye, sapolio, buckets, scrubbing brushes, mops, dustpans, brooms, feather dusters, and so forth, for policing public buildings (not quarters), one thousand dollars;

For chalk, crayons, sponges, slate, rubbers, rulers, pointers, card. and toilet paper, and so forth, for recitation rooms, three hundred dollars;

For renewing furniture in section rooms and repairing the same, three hundred dollars.

Increase and expense of library, namely:

For purchase, preservation, care, storage, binding and repair of books, periodicals, pamphlets, maps, pictures, and manuscripts; purchase of furniture, cases, stationery, and fittings; for expenses of making copies of military manuscripts in other libraries, and for contingent expenses not otherwise provided for; purchases to be made in open market on the written order of the Superintendent, ten thousand dollars;

For contingent funds, to be expended under the direction of the academic board: For instruments, books, repairs to apparatus, and other incidental expenses not otherwise provided for, one thousand dollars;

Provided, That all technical and scientific supplies for the departments of instruction of the Military Academy shall be purchased by contract or otherwise, as the Secretary of War may deem best;

Purchase of instruments for band and repairs to same; for purchase of reeds, pads, strings, and other materials necessary for brass, wood, wind, and string instruments; for purchase of music stands and other equipments; for purchase of music for military band and orchestra and for extra parts; all to be purchased in open market on order of Superintendent, two thousand three hundred dollars;

Repairs and improvements to the laundry machinery and apparatus in the cadet laundry, and the purchase of new material, tools, and so forth, to be expended without advertising, one thousand eight hundred dollars;

Repair of cooking utensils, chairs, tables, and other furniture in the cadet mess, and the replacement of same, to be expended without advertising, one thousand one hundred and fifty dollars;

Gymnasium and athletic supplies: For repairs, new machines, athletic supplies, and fixtures for gymnasium, one thousand seven hundred dollars;

For furniture, curtains, and rugs for cadet reception room, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For the policing of barracks, bath houses, supplying light and plain furniture to cadet barracks, nine thousand dollars;

In all, for miscellaneous items and incidental expenses, forty-six thousand five hundred and fifty-five dollars.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

For cases, materials, fittings, fixtures, and other appliances and repairs for ordnance museum in academy building, three hundred dollars;

For repairs to ordnance laboratory and other buildings pertaining to the department of ordnance and gunnery, painting buildings, and materials for roads and walks, and for repairs to machinery and tools, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For general repairs to the cadet laundry building, painting, and for emergency incidental expenses about building, to be expended without advertising, four hundred dollars;

For the better fire protection of the cadet laundry, providing therein standpipe, hose, hose connection and swinging reel, two hundred and eighty-five dollars;

For painting and general incidental repairs and improvements to the cadet store building, including storerooms, office, tailor shops, and shoe repairing shops, three hundred dollars;

For materials and labor for repairs, alterations, and additions needed at the soldiers' hospital, as follows:

For purchase of suitable incandescent lights, droplights, tubing, mantels, and so forth; for paraffin and turpentine for waxing floors; for brushes, paints, glass, putty, and for general repairs; for materials for rebronzing radiators; and for purchase of flowers, fruit trees, shrubs, plants, and so forth, for hospital grounds, one hundred and sixty-five dollars;

For materials, labor, and so forth, required for putting skylight in operating room, two hundred dollars;

For repainting interior walls, ceilings, and woodwork of soldiers' hospital, four hundred and fifty dollars;

For waterworks: Renewal of material in filter beds; improving ventilation of filter house and water house; hose for use in cleaning filter beds and water house, and for use in fire service at same; tools, implements, and materials for use of the two keepers and for repairs of siphon house, filter house, and of four and one-half miles of supply pipe; for shed for tools and storage of fuel for keeper of Round Pond, and for tool house at filter; for gauges at and for stairs for access to same, and all other necessary work of maintenance and repairs, one thousand two hundred dollars;

For repairs and necessary alterations and additions to the cadet hospital, as follows:

Materials for rebronzing radiators and piping; material for waxing and polishing floors; suitable incandescent lights, droplights, mantles, tubes; for carpets, furniture, and appliances; for repairs of damaged articles, and for miscellaneous expenses, one hundred and twenty dollars;

For purchase of flowers and shrubs for hospital grounds, one hundred dollars;

For one new bathroom, third floor, with fixtures and tiling; for iron bridge across court, and stairway leading to court; for subdividing operating room so as to make room for minor cases, dressing and anesthesia, with corresponding tiled walls; for enlarging and renovating present cadet mess room, and for new kitchen in basement, with plumbing, cooking apparatus, refrigerator, pantry, and dumb-waiter; for making two new entrances to basement; for new bathroom, first floor, with fixtures and tiling; for exhaust fan for shaft and fan inside dark room; for cement gutter along the lower base of lawn in front of hospital; for one hundred and twenty window screens; six thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars;

For repainting interior walls, ceilings, and woodwork of central building, and the north wing of cadet hospital, seven hundred and fifty dollars;

For building provisional contagious-disease hospital, under direction of the Secretary of War, two thousand five hundred dollars, to be immediately available;

Repairs to cadet barracks:

For repairing and renewing plastering, painting and calceining, repairs to woodwork, reflooring, rearranging rooms, increasing sinks, baths, and other incidental repairs to the building, five thousand dollars;

For maintaining and improving the grounds of the post cemetery, two thousand dollars;

For continuing the construction of breast-high wall in dangerous places, five hundred dollars;

For broken stone and gravel for roads, and for repairing sidewalks, roads, paths, and bridges on the reservation, five thousand dollars;

For repairs to saddles, bridles, purchase of leather, curb chains, bits, stirrups, and so forth, and to keep same in repair, two hundred and fifty dollars;

For painting and repairing interior walls and woodwork of cadet mess building, one thousand dollars;

For renewing roof of old portion of cadet mess and new copper down spouts for same, two thousand two hundred dollars;

For construction of three-inch standpipes in north and south halls of cadet mess, with suitable hose connections, and fifty feet of cotton hose on swinging brackets on first and second floors; also for installing and connecting with post fire-alarm system one fire-alarm box in basement, six hundred and fifty dollars;

For one steam road roller, of about six tons weight, to be immediately available, two thousand five hundred dollars;

For completing work of macadamizing and laying brick gutters to road in front of quarters numbered twenty-two to forty, three thousand dollars;

For material and labor to rebuild about two hundred and fifty feet of main sewer at north end of post, one thousand dollars;

For regrading and draining ground occupied by cadet camp, surfacing company streets with broken stone, and substituting iron posts and rails for the present wooden posts and rails used to support tents, six thousand dollars;

For providing screen doors and windows for officers' mess building and quarters, nine hundred dollars;

For painting interior walls, ceiling, and ironwork of stairways in the academy building and varnishing the woodwork, repairing plastering and plaster cornice throughout the building, six thousand five hundred dollars;

For adding another story to quarters occupied by keeper of the post cemetery, two thousand five hundred dollars;

For repairing ceiling of porch and repairing fence around stable and riding hall, one hundred and twenty-five dollars;

For repairing roof of riding hall, one hundred dollars;

For putting in eighteen new sashes in riding hall, replacing glass in others and repairing same, two hundred and fifty dollars;

For construction of new saddle room to hold flat saddles, bridles, and equipments pertaining to riding instruction of cadets, one hundred and fifty dollars;

For painting and whitewashing interior of cavalry stables, one thousand dollars;

For painting woodwork throughout the cavalry barracks and repairing roof, one hundred and ninety dollars;

Lumber and other material for general repairs in cavalry barracks, cavalry stables, riding hall, and for constructing hurdles, heads and ring posts, training chutes, and so forth, two hundred dollars;

For lavatory at cavalry barracks, eighty-five dollars;

To use toward the restoration of Fort Putnam, on the United States Military Reservation at West Point, New York, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, five thousand dollars;

Total buildings and grounds, fifty-nine thousand eight hundred and ninety-five dollars.

In carrying out the provisions of the Act of June twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and two, after general plans have been prepared and approved by the Secretary of War, he may, within the limit of cost fixed, proceed with their execution in such order as the detailed plans may be approved by him and in such manner, by contract or otherwise, as he may see fit.

Approved, March 8, 1905. [988881, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 51. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 30, 1905.

The 119th Company, Coast Artillery, will be relieved from duty on the Louisiana Purchase Exposition grounds, St. Louis, Missouri, on March 31, 1905, or as soon thereafter as it shall have completed its work, and will proceed to and take station at Fort Washington, Maryland. The commanding generals of the Northern and Atlantic Divisions are charged with the execution of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of command by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [990265, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 52. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 1, 1905.

The following is published for the information of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 4, 1905.

By direction of the President, Lieutenant General *Adna R. Chaffee*,
United States Army, is detailed as Chief of Staff.

WM. H. TAFT.
Secretary of War.

[900241, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 53. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 1, 1906.

The regulations published in Circular, No. 84, July 29, 1904, War Department, to govern the examination of approved candidates for appointment in the Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry under an act of Congress approved April 28, 1904, are republished, as modified by the President, for the information and guidance of all concerned.

[Extract from act approved April 23, 1904.]

Vacancies * * * occurring in the grade of second lieutenant (in the Porto Rico Provisional Regiment) may be filled by the President, in his discretion, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, by the appointment of citizens of Porto Rico for the provisional term of four years, whose qualifications for commissions shall be established by such examination as the President may prescribe, who shall also be eligible for promotion in the regiment up to and including the rank of captain, upon an examination as to their fitness.

I. No person shall be examined unless he has a letter from the War Department authorizing his examination. Application for authority to appear before the examining board should be made in writing to the commanding officer, Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico, at least one month prior to the time fixed for the meeting of the examining board, and should be accompanied by evidence that the applicant is a citizen of Porto Rico, within the age limits prescribed, and of good character.

II. Each candidate will be subjected to a rigid physical examination, and if there be found to exist any cause of disqualification which might in the future impair his efficiency as an officer of the regiment he will be rejected. The board will inquire and report concerning each applicant whether he is of good moral character or addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors. Examination as to physical qualifications will conform to the standard required in the case of recruits, and will include a certificate of physical examination by two medical officers to accompany the proceedings of the board. The certificate will embrace all the information required by the form for the examination of recruits.

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III. No candidate will be examined who is under twenty-one or over thirty years of age; who is not a citizen of Porto Rico; who, in the judgment of the board, is not physically qualified to discharge all the duties of an officer in active service; who has any deformity of body or mental infirmity, or whose moral habits are bad.

IV. The board, being satisfied as to these preliminary points, will proceed to examine each candidate separately—

1. In his knowledge of English grammar, and his ability to read, write, and spell with facility and correctness.

2. In his knowledge of arithmetic, and his ability to apply its rules to all practical questions.

3. In his knowledge of geography, particularly that of the Western Hemisphere.

4. In his knowledge of the outlines of general history, and particularly the history of the United States.

5. In his knowledge of the Constitution of the United States and the organization of the Government under it.

6. The board, having examined into the mental qualifications of each candidate and his moral character and habits, will also inquire into his general qualifications, aptitude, and probable efficiency as an officer of the Porto Rico Provisional Regiment of Infantry.

7. The board will also inquire into the physical aptitude of the candidate, as determined by the medical examination and other evidence submitted to it.

V. In awarding marks the board will give to each subject in the examination the relative weight given in the form following below. The general average of the candidate will be computed as follows:

Mark each question according to its relative weight, and reduce the aggregate of marks thus obtained in each subject to a scale of 100. The result will give the average of proficiency in the subject. Multiply the average in each subject by the number indicating the relative weight of the subject and divide the sum of the products by the sum of the relative weights, the quotient will be the general average. No candidate will be passed by the board who shall not have attained an average of 65 per cent in each subject of examination and a general average of at least 70 per cent.

Example.

No.	Subjects.	Averages.	Relative weights.	Products of multiplication by relative weights.
1	English grammar, etc.	82	3	246
2	Mathematics.....	78	4	304
3	Geography.....	80	2	160
4	History.....	73	3	219
5	Constitutional law.....	65	2	130
6	Moral character and probable efficiency.....	95	3	285
7	Physique.....	87	3	261
		20		1,605
General average.....				80.25

VI. The examination will be conducted in the English language.

VII. Boards for the examination will be appointed by the War Department, and will consist of five commissioned officers, including two medical officers. The duties of the medical officers will be confined to inquiring into and reporting upon the physical qualifications of the candidates.

The proceedings of the board will be forwarded to The Military Secretary of the Army. [995499, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 54.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 3, 1905.

The following order from the War Department is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 24, 1905.

ORDERS:

The following extract from the "Act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and five, and for prior years, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1905, is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

* * * * *
SEC. 4. That section thirty-six hundred and seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3679. No Department of the Government shall expend, in any one fiscal year, any sum in excess of appropriations made by Congress for that fiscal year, or involve the Government in any contract or obligation for the future payment of money in excess of such appropriations unless such contract or obligation is authorized by law. Nor shall any Department or officer of the Government accept voluntary service for the Government or employ personal service in excess of that authorized by law, except in case of sudden emergency involving the loss of human life or the destruction of property. All appropriations made for contingent expenses or other general purposes, except appropriations made for the fulfillment of contract obligations expressly authorized by law, or for objects required or authorized by law without reference to the amounts annually appropriated therefor, shall, on or before the beginning of each fiscal year, be so apportioned by monthly or other allotments as to prevent undue expenditures in one portion of the year that may require deficiency or additional appropriations to complete the service of the fiscal year; and all such apportionments shall be adhered to except when waived or modified in specific cases by the written order of the head of the Executive Department or other Government establishment having control of the expenditure, but this provision shall not apply to the contingent appropriations of the Senate or House of Representatives; and all such waivers or modifications, together with the reasons therefor, shall be communicated to Congress in connection with estimates for any additional appropriations required on account thereof. Any person violating any provision of this section shall be summarily removed from office and may also be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not less than one month.

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A strict compliance with the provisions of the foregoing section is enjoined upon all officers and employees in and under the War Department.

WM. H. TAFT,
Secretary of War.

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[904997, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 55. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 7, 1905.

I.—So much of General Orders, No. 176, November 17, 1904, War Department, as directs the headquarters and band, 7th Cavalry, to sail for the Philippine Islands on June 1, 1905, is modified so as to direct them upon arrival in San Francisco, California, under the provisions of the above-mentioned order, to delay there and to sail for Manila, Philippine Islands, on July 1, 1905, instead. [997203, M. S. O.]

II.—The following changes in the stations of troops are ordered:

1. Lieutenant Colonel *John McClellan*, Artillery Corps; Sergeant Major *John McKeeran*, junior grade, Artillery Corps, and the 28th and 92d Companies of Coast Artillery will be relieved from duty in the Artillery District of Honolulu, Hawaii Territory, in time to embark on the transport scheduled to leave Manila, Philippine Islands, on June 15, 1905, for San Francisco, California, where upon arrival they will proceed to and take station as follows:

Lieutenant Colonel *McClellan*, Sergeant Major *McKeeran*, and the 28th Company at Fort Rosecrans, California.

The 92d Company at Fort Flagler, Washington.

One officer and a suitable guard of the artillery will remain at Honolulu for duty in connection with the transfer of property, etc., and will, after the completion thereof, proceed to San Francisco, California, on the transport scheduled to sail from Manila, Philippine Islands, on July 15, 1905.

2. Companies L and M, 10th Infantry, will be relieved from duty at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, and will embark on the transport sailing from San Francisco on July 1, 1905, for Honolulu, Hawaii Territory, for station.

Commanding officers of these organizations will make every proper effort to induce their men to make allotments of pay in favor of their dependent relatives, as provided in paragraph 1374, Army Regulations.

The commanding general, Pacific Division, is charged with the execution of the orders for these movements.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary

transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies.

8. Upon the departure of the 28th and 92d Companies of Coast Artillery the Artillery District of Honolulu will be discontinued.

[964215, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 56. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 7, 1905.

By direction of the President, General Orders, No. 78, April 29, 1904, War Department, as amended by General Orders, No. 27, February 17, 1905, War Department, is further amended so as to fix the strength of infantry companies on duty at the Infantry and Cavalry School and Staff College, at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and at Fort Slocum, New York, as follows:

The Infantry and Cavalry School and Staff College.

1 first sergeant.	2 musicians.
1 quartermaster sergeant.	1 artificer.
6 sergeants.	93 privates.
8 corporals.	—
2 cooks.	114

Columbus Barracks and Fort Slocum.

1 first sergeant.	2 musicians.
1 quartermaster sergeant.	1 artificer.
5 sergeants.	72 privates.
8 corporals.	—
2 cooks.	92

[933993, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 57. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 7, 1905.

Sections 8, 9, 11, and 13, paragraph II, General Orders, No. 65, April 6, 1904, War Department, are amended to read as follows:

8. When application is made for the detail of an officer of the Army at an institution to which an officer had not theretofore been assigned, it shall be visited by an inspector or other suitable officer, who shall report to the War Department whether such detail should be made.

9. Officers detailed as professors of military science and tactics shall, at the end of each quarter, report in writing to The Military Secretary of the Army. A report shall also be made annually by an officer detailed especially for the purpose.

11. Pupils under military instruction shall be organized into companies and battalions of infantry, the drill and administration of which shall conform in all respects to that of the Army. The officers and the noncommissioned officers shall be selected by the professor of military science and tactics with the approval of the president of the institution according to the principles governing such selection at the United States Military Academy, and shall receive their commissions and warrants from the president of the institution.

13. At every institution of Class B, at which a professor of military science and tactics is detailed, it shall be provided in its regular schedule of studies that at least three hours per week for two years, or the equivalent thereof, shall be assigned for instruction in the military department, not less than two-thirds of the total time to be devoted to practical drill, including guard mounting and other military ceremonies, and the remainder to theoretical instruction.

[907872, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 58.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 11, 1905.

The following act of the Congress is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

An Act To amend an Act approved August thirteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, entitled "An Act for the protection of persons furnishing materials and labor for the construction of public works."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled "An Act for the protection of persons furnishing materials and labor for the construction of public works," approved August thirteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"That hereafter any person or persons entering into a formal contract with the United States for the construction of any public building, or the prosecution and completion of any public work, or for repairs upon any public building or public work, shall be required, before commencing such work, to execute the usual penal bond, with good and sufficient sureties, with the additional obligation that such contractor or contractors shall promptly make payments to all persons supplying him or them with labor and materials in the prosecution of the work provided for in such contract; and any person, company, or corporation who has furnished labor or materials used in the construction or repair of any public building or public work, and payment for which has not been made, shall have the right to intervene and be made a party to any action instituted by the United States on the bond of the contractor, and to have their rights and claims adjudicated in such action and judgment rendered thereon, subject, however, to the priority of the claim and judgment of the United States. If the full amount of the liability of the surety on said bond is insufficient to pay the full amount of said claims and demands, then, after paying the full amount due the United States, the remainder shall be distributed pro rata among said interveners. If no suit should be brought by the United States within six months from the completion and final settlement of said contract, then the person or persons supplying the contractor with labor and materials shall, upon application therefor, and furnishing affidavit to the Department under the direction of which said work has been prosecuted that labor or materials for the prosecution of such work has been supplied by him or them, and payment for which has not been made, be furnished with a certified copy of said contract and bond, upon which he

or they shall have a right of action, and shall be, and are hereby, authorized to bring suit in the name of the United States in the circuit court of the United States in the district in which said contract was to be performed and executed, irrespective of the amount in controversy in such suit, and not elsewhere, for his or their use and benefit, against said contractor and his sureties, and to prosecute the same to final judgment and execution: *Provided*, That where suit is instituted by any of such creditors on the bond of the contractor it shall not be commenced until after the complete performance of said contract and final settlement thereof, and shall be commenced within one year after the performance and final settlement of said contract, and not later: *And provided further*, That where suit is so instituted by a creditor or by creditors, only one action shall be brought, and any creditor may file his claim in such action and be made party thereto within one year from the completion of the work under said contract, and not later. If the recovery on the bond should be inadequate to pay the amounts found due to all of said creditors, judgment shall be given to each creditor pro rata of the amount of the recovery. The surety on said bond may pay into court, for distribution among said claimants and creditors, the full amount of the sureties' liability, to wit, the penalty named in the bond, less any amount which said surety may have had to pay to the United States by reason of the execution of said bond, and upon so doing the surety will be relieved from further liability: *Provided further*, That in all suits instituted under the provisions of this Act such personal notice of the pendency of such suits, informing them of their right to intervene as the court may order, shall be given to all known creditors, and in addition thereto notice of publication in some newspaper of general circulation, published in the State or town where the contract is being performed, for at least three successive weeks, the last publication to be at least three months before the time limited therefor."

Approved, February 24, 1905.

[908864, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 59. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 12, 1905.

For administrative purposes in the transaction of current business pertaining to ordinary routine, the following telephonic communication is authorized to be established at each military post:

To the office of commanding officer.....	1
To the office of each company, troop, or battery.....	1
To the office of quartermaster.....	1
To the office of commissary.....	1
To the hospital.....	1
To the guard house.....	1
To the post exchange.....	1
To the residence of commanding officer.....	1
To the residence of quartermaster.....	1
To the residence of adjutant.....	1
To the residence of surgeon.....	1

Telephonic installation for rifle ranges, fire-control purposes, War College, and service schools are not included in the above allotment, they being provided for separately, according to the necessities of the occasion.

No post telephonic system will be connected directly with any commercial system of telephones, save under approval by the War Department, and under written terms which shall conserve the interests of the United States.

Post telephonic systems are to be maintained and operated by the members of the garrison as a rule, such systems to be inspected by a competent noncommissioned officer of the Signal Corps, or other available expert, at least twice each year.

[900382, M. S. O.]

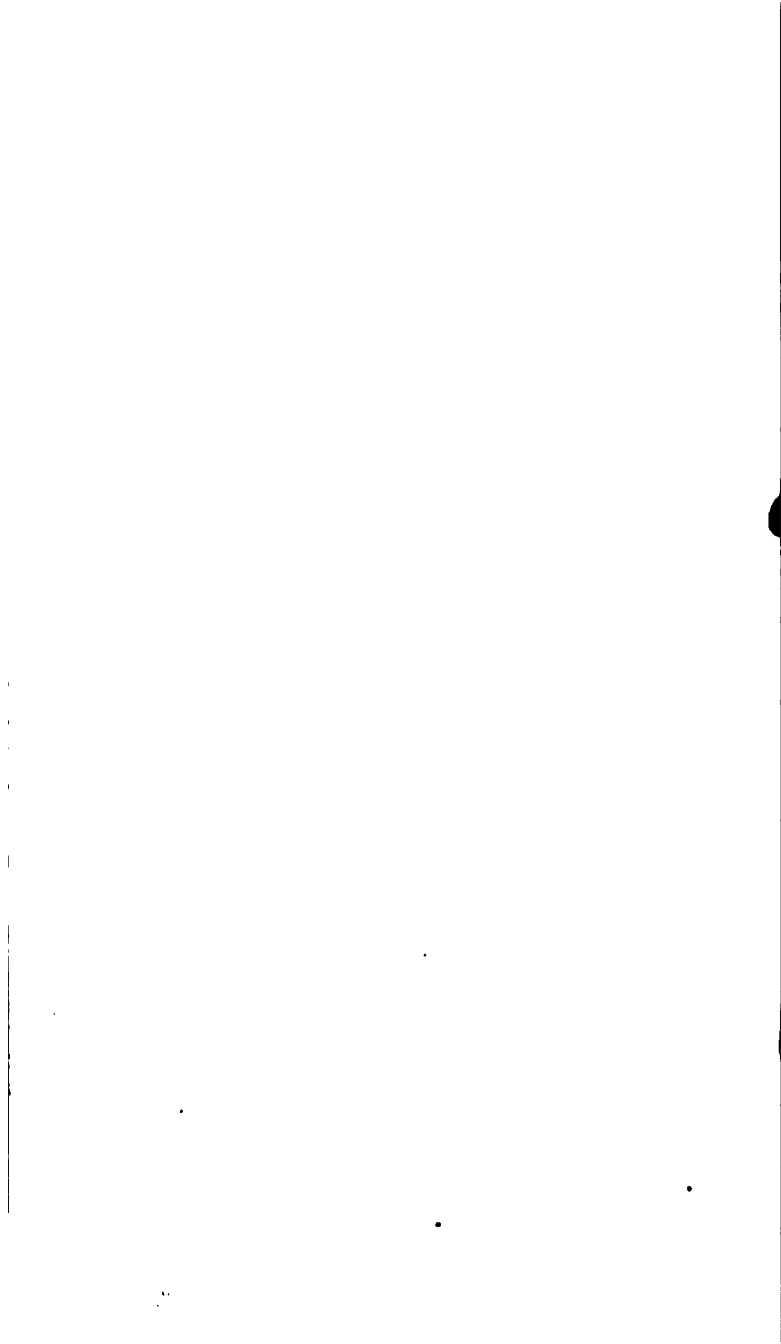
BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 60.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 15, 1905.

By direction of the President, the following changes in the stations and duties of general officers are ordered:

Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, United States Army, is relieved temporarily from the command of the Southwestern Division, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, and assume command of the Pacific Division during the temporary absence of Major General *Arthur MacArthur*, United States Army.

Brigadier General *Frank D. Baldwin*, United States Army, is relieved from the command of the Department of the Colorado, and will proceed to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Territory, and assume command of the Southwestern Division during the temporary absence of Major General *Sumner*.

Brigadier General *William S. McCaskey*, United States Army, is relieved from duty in the Philippines Division, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, and upon arrival report by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army for further orders.

Brigadier General *James A. Buchanan*, United States Army, will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the commanding general, Philippines Division, for assignment to duty.

Brigadier General *Tasker H. Bliss*, United States Army, is relieved from his present duties, to take effect at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, and take transport to sail from that place on or about June 30, 1905, for Manila, Philippine Islands, where upon arrival he will report in person to the commanding general, Philippines Division, for duty, pending his assignment to the command of a department.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.
[992910, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 61.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 17, 1905.

The following orders of the Secretary of War are published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 3, 1905.

ORDERS:

By direction of the President, the following order is issued for the information and guidance of all concerned:

It is hereby ordered that hereafter no officer, clerk, or employee in the executive service of the Government, who is also a notary public, shall charge or receive any compensation whatever for performing any notarial act for an officer, clerk, or employee of the Government in his official capacity, or in any matter in which the Government is interested, or for any person when, in the case of such person, the act is performed during the hours of such notary's service to the Government. Disobedience of this order shall be ground for immediate dismissal from the service.

WM. H. TAFT,
Secretary of War.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 3, 1905.

ORDERS:

War Department orders of January 3, 1905, issued by direction of the President, prohibiting notarial charges by notaries public who are Government employees, is, by direction of the President, hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

"This order shall not apply to oaths of disinterestedness, or other oaths required to be made by law, provided that the work in connection therewith is not performed during office hours."

WM. H. TAFT,
Secretary of War.

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[907746, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 62.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 17, 1906.

I.—By direction of the President, the Engineer Detachment at the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York, shall consist of:

8 sergeants, one of whom shall act as 1st sergeant and one as quartermaster sergeant.

8 corporals.

40 first-class privates.

40 second-class privates.

—
96 total enlisted men.

This number shall be provided for by keeping vacancies in companies of the Engineer Battalions, as follows: One sergeant, 1 corporal, 8 first-class privates, and 8 second-class privates in each of the eight engineer companies stationed at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; 4 first-class privates and 4 second-class privates in each of the two engineer companies stationed in the Philippine Islands, and in each of the two engineer companies to be stationed in San Francisco, California.

Engineer battalion and company commanders will make the necessary promotions and reductions, and will report to The Military Secretary for the action of the War Department such transfers as may be necessary to carry this order into effect. [901984, M. S. O.]

II.—So much of General Orders, No. 197, December 31, 1904, War Department, as prescribes service breeches as part of the full dress uniform and of the dress uniform for enlisted men when mounted is hereby modified by substituting dress trousers for service breeches. [1001708, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 68. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 24, 1905.

I.—So much of General Orders, No. 176, November 17, 1904, War Department, as directs the 23d Infantry upon arrival in the United States to take station at Madison Barracks and Fort Ontario, New York, is modified so as to direct the entire regiment to take station at Madison Barracks, the companies for Fort Ontario to go into camp until that post is ready to receive them. [1003386, M. S. O.]

II.—In connection with the training school for bakers established at Fort Riley, Kansas, by General Orders, No. 2, January 4, 1905, War Department, a training school for army cooks is hereby established under the direction of the commandant of the School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery at which successive classes will be instructed for periods of four months.

The classes under instruction shall be composed of selected recruits of common school education, who manifest a desire to learn the trade of cook and show an aptitude for the work.

There shall be continuously two classes under instruction, a new class entering on the 15th of each even numbered month. Details of men for instruction will be made by the War Department in time for each class to report at Fort Riley not later than the time fixed for its instruction to commence, and in number not to exceed the accommodations of the training school.

Upon the completion of the prescribed course successfully the men comprising a class will be assigned to organizations and directed to join their respective organizations by orders from the War Department.

An officer of the Subsistence Department will have immediate charge of this school, and subject to the approval of the Commissary General is authorized to employ such civilian labor as may be found necessary, to be paid out of the appropriations for the Subsistence Department. [907471, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 64. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 26, 1905.

I.—The following orders of the Secretary of War are published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 20, 1905.

ORDERS:

I. In conformity with the provisions of Section 1331, Revised Statutes, the Chief of Staff is charged with the supervision of matters in the War Department pertaining to the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York.

II. By direction of the President, paragraph 2 of the General Regulations for the United States Military Academy is amended to read as follows:

2. The superintendent, and, in his absence, the next in rank, shall have the immediate government and military command of the academy, and shall be commandant of the military post at West Point. The superintendent will render to The Military Secretary of the Army, in accordance with paragraph 787, Army Regulations, all required reports, returns, and estimates concerning the academy.

WM. H. TAFT,
Secretary of War.

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[1005028, M. S. O.]

II.—In accordance with the provisions of section 12 of General Orders, No. 7, dated Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, January 24, 1903, the adjutant general of each State will require, in addition to such reports as may be required by instructions and orders now in force, the commanding officers of field batteries and companies or detachments of coast artillery of the militia to forward, through military channels, to the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, reports, on prescribed forms which will be furnished on application, of all firings with cannon including sub-caliber tubes done under their supervision immediately after such firing takes place. [1003473, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 65. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 27, 1905.

The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 22, 1905.

1. The appropriation "for contingent expenses at the headquarters of the several military divisions and departments, including the staff corps serving thereat, being for the purchase of the necessary articles of office, toilet, and desk furniture, binding, maps, technical books of reference, professional and technical newspapers and periodicals, and police utensils, to be allotted by the Secretary of War, and to be expended in the discretion of the several military divisions and department commanders, seven thousand five hundred dollars," contained in the act approved March 2, 1905, making appropriation for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, is allotted as follows:

To the Atlantic Division	\$450
To the Northern Division	250
To the Pacific Division	400
To the Philippines Division	500
To the Southwestern Division	500
To the Department of California	500
To the Department of the Colorado	400
To the Department of the Columbia	300
To the Department of Dakota	400
To the Department of the East	500
To the Department of the Gulf	500
To the Department of the Lakes	400
To the Department of Luzon	500
To the Department of Mindanao	500
To the Department of the Missouri	400
To the Department of Texas	500
To the Department of the Visayas	500
Total	7,500

2. The appropriation for United States service schools, "To provide means for the theoretical and practical instruction at the Artillery School, at Fort Monroe, Virginia; the School of Submarine Defense, at Fort Totten, New York; the General Service and Staff College, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and the School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery, at Fort Riley, Kansas, by the purchase of text-books, books of reference, scientific and professional papers, the purchase of modern instruments and material for theoretical and practical instruction, and for all other absolutely necessary expenses, to be allotted in such proportions as may, in the opinion of the Secretary of War, be for the best interest of the military service, twenty-five thousand dollars," contained in the act

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of Congress approved March 2, 1906, making appropriation for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, is allotted as follows:

Artillery School	\$10.00
Staff College	11.50
School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery	2.50
School of Submarine Defense	1.00
Total	<u>25.00</u>

WM. H. TAFT.

Secretary of War.

[985334, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,

Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 66.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 28, 1905.

I.--By direction of the President, the unexecuted part of the sentence of a general court-martial in the case of Lieutenant Colonel *Charles A. Booth*, 7th Infantry, published in General Orders, No. 29, Department of the Columbia, September 8, 1903, is remitted. [973556, M. S. O.]

II.--Hereafter fire control installation approved by the Secretary of War, in progress or completed at coast fortifications, will not be changed in any respect without his express sanction.
[985614, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 67. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, May 3, 1905.

I.—Contract surgeons and dental surgeons will render to The Military Secretary of the Army the personal reports required of regular medical officers by paragraphs 834 and 835, and by paragraph 836, Army Regulations, as amended by General Orders, No. 25, War Department, February 15, 1905.

Whenever a contract is entered into with a civilian physician or a dentist as contract surgeon or dental surgeon, or whenever such contract is annulled, notification of the fact will be forwarded at once directly to The Military Secretary of the Army by the officer taking the action. [908896, M. S. O.]

II.—The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The United States of America having acquired by expropriation proceedings in the United States district court for the District of Minnesota, under decree of March 22, 1905, filed March 23, 1905, and recorded in Volume 9 of Term Minutes of said court, at pages 184 to 186, certain lands situated south of the military reservation of Fort Snelling, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, for purposes of a target range, the same is announced as an addition to said reservation. Said addition contains about 850 acres, exclusive of the "Bloomington road to St. Paul," and comprises the following-described lands, viz:

The east half, and the east half of west half, of section thirty-one; the south half of northwest quarter, and those portions of the south half of northeast quarter, the northwest quarter of southeast quarter, and the southwest quarter, of section thirty-two, lying west of the Minnesota River—all in township twenty-eight north, range twenty-three west; and all that part of the northwest quarter of section five, township twenty-seven north, range twenty-three west, lying west of the Minnesota River.

[1006446, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,

Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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The following provisions relating to the subsistence of recruits and recruiting parties are published for the guidance of all concerned:

1. Upon the arrival of a recruiting officer at a city or town where he is to establish a recruiting station, he will at once make inquiries at the available places in the neighborhood of the station as to the prices at which meals for his party can be obtained and will procure them, of proper quality, by open-market purchase at the most reasonable rates until he can advertise for proposals by means of Form No. 28, Subsistence Department.

2. This advertisement (Form No. 28) will be distributed to a number of probable bidders and be posted in public places (a copy in the post-office and one in front of the recruiting station) for ten days before the opening of bids. A copy with a list of persons to whom distributed entered on the first fold will be at once mailed to the Commissary General. If the notice was for a period of less than ten days the reason why a longer period was not allowed will be stated on that fold.

3. When the recruiting officer has made award he will sign the acceptance and furnish the successful bidder with a copy of the same.

4. As better prices can undoubtedly be obtained by making contracts for meals for recruiting parties and recruits at recruiting stations for comparatively long periods of time, the officers on duty at such stations will make such contracts on Form No. 19, Subsistence Department, to embrace a period of six months if practicable, being careful, however, not to make a contract extending beyond June 30, which would embrace a portion of two fiscal years.

5. The commanding officer of a garrisoned post at which an officer has been designated as a recruiting officer will assign all recruits to companies for rations, and all proper subsistence expenses incurred in connection with their enlistment or the forwarding of them to destination will be paid by the post commissary on the order of the commanding officer.

6. When railroads equipped with eating houses or when public eating houses established along railroads not so equipped have agreed to furnish meals to enlisted men traveling unaccompanied by a commissioned officer on meal tickets issued for the purpose, the commanding officer ordering transportation for enlisted men so traveling over such roads may

direct the Subsistence Department to issue meal tickets for use *en route*. A noncommissioned officer or private traveling in charge of a detachment will be furnished the meal tickets (Form No. 76, Subsistence Department) for the detachment and will duly execute the receipt upon a ticket for the number of meals furnished at any authorized point and leave the receipted ticket with the representative of the eating house there present. A soldier traveling alone will receipt the ticket and leave it in the same way. These receipted tickets will be returned by the railroads or public eating houses accompanied by bills to the commissary who issued them, who will prepare vouchers and pay the same. Recruiting officers not at permanent stations may request those to whom meal tickets are addressed to forward them for payment to the chief commissary of the department (giving name and address) in which they are recruiting. At the end of a journey all unused meal tickets will be turned over by soldiers to the commanding officer of the post, who will promptly return such tickets to the issuing officer.

7. The chief commissary of a department will ascertain what, if any, arrangements can be made with the various railroads and public eating houses established along lines of travel over which enlisted men are usually routed in and from his department, and if satisfactory arrangements are made he will cause the necessary information to be communicated to the various commissaries and recruiting officers who may be doing duty in the department and will also cause them to be notified from time to time as changes occur.

8. Commanding and other officers ordering transportation to the Pacific Coast *via* Chicago for noncommissioned officers, privates, and recruits will provide subsistence for the men by meal tickets or otherwise to Chicago only, and will call upon the chief commissary, Department of the Lakes, in their orders directing the travel for five days' meal requests for the portion of the journey from Chicago to the points on the Pacific Coast to which the men are ordered. Where through transportation to the Pacific Coast is furnished at the initial point of the journey a copy of the order for the journey will be mailed by the commanding or other officer at least twenty-four hours in advance of the departure of the men to the chief commissary, Department of the Lakes, Chicago, Illinois, who will send the necessary meal requests to meet the men on arrival at the railroad station in Chicago, thus avoiding delay of the men in that city. A copy of the order will also be furnished the party in charge of the detachment, which will be

surrendered by him to the person in Chicago from whom he receives meal requests. Noncommissioned officers, privates, and recruits not furnished with through transportation at initial points of journeys will be instructed to report at the headquarters, Department of the Lakes, if they arrive in Chicago before 3.30 p. m., and at the recruiting station, No. 82 West Madison street, if they arrive after that hour. Those reporting at the latter place will be furnished by the recruiting officer with supper and lodging for the night and breakfast the next morning, and will then be sent to department headquarters for the necessary orders for transportation and meal requests to the end of their journey.

9. Recruits furnished with meal tickets (Form No. 76, Subsistence Department) will be thoroughly instructed regarding the use of them. It should be stated to the recruits by recruiting officers that the meal tickets are for the sole purpose of obtaining meals in the manner indicated thereon, and that any violation of the printed instructions on the meal tickets regarding the use to be made thereof, or any improper use of such tickets, will render the recruits liable to punishment.

10. Recruiting officers will endeavor to keep themselves in touch with the companies honoring meal tickets issued by them, in order that recruits provided with them may experience no difficulty in obtaining meals thereon.

11. Disbursing officers will not pay accounts for meal tickets which have been improperly used, except when specially authorized by the War Department.

12. If the money value of the articles sold to a recruit under paragraph 1268 of the Regulations be not collected before he leaves the recruiting station, post, or depot, it will be noted on his descriptive and assignment card in order that it may be withheld by the paymaster at the first payment after the recruit joins his company.

13. Recruiting officers not stationed at garrisoned posts will obtain subsistence funds for advancing commutation of rations, paying coffee money to recruits, and paying vouchers for meals furnished, etc., by written requests upon the chief commissaries of departments in which they are respectively recruiting. If they are furnished with funds they will make payment of all subsistence accounts. If not so furnished, they will send the vouchers, prepared on Form No. 7, Subsistence Department, the certificate thereon being properly modified, to the chief commissary of the department in which their stations are located, or to such other officer as may be directed to make the payments.

14. In drawing checks against subsistence funds placed to their credit in subtreasuries or depositories recruiting officers will add after their names their rank and the designation "commissary," simply, thus: "Henry Bell, lieutenant, commissary."

15. Each voucher paid by recruiting officers from subsistence funds held in their personal possession under paragraph 587 of the Regulations will have noted thereon their check (by number and date and the name of the depository on which drawn) from the proceeds of which the money in personal possession arose. The number and amount of each of the vouchers so paid will be noted on the stub of the check or on a schedule attached thereto.

16. Recruiting officers will pay in person to each recruit the commutation of rations or coffee money to which he may be entitled, or will cause it to be conveyed to him only by the hand of a commissioned officer.

17. Referring to the provisions of paragraphs 1250 and 1251 of the Regulations, attention is called to that provision of the contract for meals (Form No. 19, Subsistence Department) which stipulates that lunches shall be furnished when required. These lunches (cooked rations) are intended for the use of recruits traveling.

18. Whenever a soldier, a member of a recruiting party granted the privilege of living out of quarters, desires to be subsisted independently, he will submit in writing an application to The Military Secretary of the Army to be paid the contract price of subsistence. This application will be forwarded by the recruiting officer, with his recommendation and with such information in regard thereto as may be deemed pertinent. See in this connection General Orders, No. 190, War Department, December 20, 1904.

19. The following paragraphs of the Army Regulations of 1904 are the principal ones relating to the duties of recruiting officers in the matter of the subsistence of recruits: 536, 537, 1229, 1244, 1250, 1251, 1252, 1253, 1255, 1268, and 1275.

All provisions of General Orders and Circulars inconsistent with the foregoing are hereby revoked. [1009072, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,

Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 69.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 6, 1906.

The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The United States of America having acquired certain lands situated on Nantasket and Cushing Hills, in the Town of Hull, Plymouth County, Massachusetts, for fortification purposes, the same are hereby announced as the Military Reservation of Fort Revere, Massachusetts.

The metes and bounds of said reservation, as shown on a map of survey of the same made under the direction of Lieutenant Colonel *W. S. Stanton*, Corps of Engineers, United States Army, in June, 1904, by 1st Lieutenant *G. R. Lukesh*, Corps of Engineers, United States Army, are as follows:

Beginning at a point at the junction of lands acquired from the Battery Heights Land Company, land acquired from Eliza J. H. Andrew, and land of Anna Cushing (or as near thereto as could be determined by retracing the survey made in 1897 by Lieutenant *J. S. Sewell*, Corps of Engineers, United States Army, of the land acquired by the United States Government), and now marked by a concrete monument: thence running north $43^{\circ} 03' 10''$ west, 455.75 feet, and north $43^{\circ} 04' 00''$ west, 107.81 feet to the top of the bluff: thence, proceeding along the last-mentioned course, 257.5 feet, more or less, to low-water line: thence easterly, along low-water line, to a point opposite a granite monument located at the intersection of the western side of Duck Lane and the southern side of Nantasket Avenue (which granite monument is mentioned in "Returns and Locations of Highways in the Town of Hull," Book 2, page 55, as such point of intersection), and from which point of the low-water line to the southern corner of said granite monument the bearing is south $08^{\circ} 29' 00''$ west, and the distance is 349.5 feet: thence along such course to the southern corner of said granite monument, crossing the right of way of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and Nantasket Avenue: thence along Duck Lane by the following courses: south $18^{\circ} 35' 40''$ east, for 101.66 feet; south $24^{\circ} 11' 40''$ east, for 138.01 feet; south $33^{\circ} 57' 10''$ east, for 147.04 feet; south $52^{\circ} 55' 00''$ east, for 98.99 feet; south $46^{\circ} 44' 20''$ east, for 131.78 feet; south $53^{\circ} 28' 20''$ east, for 108.52 feet; south $48^{\circ} 14' 00''$ east, for 77.50 feet; south $39^{\circ} 28' 30''$ east, for 96.90 feet; south $41^{\circ} 52' 40''$ east, for 108.98 feet; and south $16^{\circ} 53' 30''$ east, for 57.21 feet, to the corner of the town cemetery: thence along the cemetery south $58^{\circ} 32' 20''$ west, for 244.46 feet, and south $58^{\circ} 34' 50''$ west, for 241.54 feet to the west corner of the cemetery: thence south $58^{\circ} 29' 40''$ west, for 87.05 feet; thence north $33^{\circ} 58' 50''$ west, for 175.37 feet; thence south $58^{\circ} 01' 40''$ west, for 156.36 feet; thence north $34^{\circ} 39' 20''$ west, for 124.15 feet; thence south $57^{\circ} 48' 30''$ west, for 79.38 feet; thence south $52^{\circ} 58' 20''$ west, for 215.30 feet; thence north $40^{\circ} 40' 10''$ west, for 114.53 feet; thence south $52^{\circ} 17' 20''$ west, for 100.18 feet; thence north $39^{\circ} 04' 20''$ west, for 132.21 feet; thence south $49^{\circ} 34' 10''$ west, for 175.13 feet; thence north $47^{\circ} 56' 00''$ west, for 149.26 feet; thence south $49^{\circ} 31' 40''$ west, for 74.62 feet; thence north $40^{\circ} 59' 10''$ west,

for 435.91 feet, to a point on the southerly side of Nantasket Avenue; thence north $46^{\circ} 49' 20''$ west, for 48.99 feet, crossing Nantasket Avenue; thence north $81^{\circ} 04' 20''$ west, for 365.95 feet; thence north $59^{\circ} 07' 30''$ west for 149.41 feet; thence north $48^{\circ} 39' 50''$ west, for 123.14 feet, to the point of beginning, embracing an area of 77.506 acres, more or less. All bearings are referred to the true meridian.

All corners of the reservation are now marked by copper bolts in concrete monuments, except where courses intersect low-water line, which points are unmarked, and the first and sixth stations on Duck Lane (beginning at the north), which points are marked by granite monuments.

[1008586, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,

Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 70. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 8, 1905.

General Orders, No. 102, June 14, 1904, War Department, is amended to read as follows:

In order that the Quartermaster General's Department may be more fully advised as to the correct proportion of the various sizes of the following articles of clothing and shoes which it should carry in stock, post commanders will cause each of the enlisted men at their respective posts to be carefully measured, after which each measurement will be compared with the various established sizes, which are as follows:

OVERCOATS (OLIVE DRAB).

Sizes.	Breast.	Waist.	Length.	Length of sleeve.	Collar.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1 regular	34	30	47	31½	16½
1½ long	34	30	50	33	16½
2 regular	36	32	48	32½	17½
2½ long	36	32	51	34	17½
3 regular	38	34	49	33½	18½
3½ long	38	34	52	35	18½
4 regular	40	36	50	34	18½
4½ long	40	36	53	35½	18½
5 regular	42	40	51	34½	19½
6 regular	44	42	52	35	19½

DRESS COATS AND OLIVE DRAB AND KHAKI SERVICE COATS.

Sizes.	Breast.	Waist.	Length.	Length of sleeve.	Collar.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1 regular	33	29	26½	30	15
2 regular	34	30	26½	30½	15½
3 regular	35	31	27	31	15½
3½ long	35	30	28	32½	15½
4 regular	36	32	27½	31½	16½
4½ stout.	36	34	27	30½	16½
4½ long.	36	31	28½	33	16
5 regular	37	33	28	32	16½
5½ stout.	37	35	27½	31	17
5½ long.	37	32	29	33½	16½
6 regular	38	34	28½	32½	17½
6½ stout.	38	36	28	31½	17½
6½ long.	38	33	29½	34	17
7 regular	40	36	29½	33	17½
7½ stout.	40	38	28½	32	18
7½ long.	40	35	30½	34½	17½
8 regular	42	40	30	33½	18½
9 regular	44	42	30½	34	18½

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DRAWERS.

	Canton flannel.	Cotton. knlt.	Jean.	Winter. wool.
Sizes.	Waist. Inseam.	Waist. Inseam.	Waist. Inseam.	Waist. Inseam.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1.....	31	29	32	32
2.....	32	30	34	34
3.....	34	31	36	36
4.....	36	32	38	38
5.....	38	33	40	40
6.....	40	33	42	42
7.....	42	32	44	44
8.....	44	32		46
			Each size has 3 lengths: 29, 30, and 32 inches.	Each size has 4 lengths: 29, 30, 31, and 33 inches.

LEGGINS.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
Height of front piece at the edge of fold or stay containing the grommets.....	14½	14½	15½	16½	16½
Width at top around calf, outside measurement.....	14	14½	15½	16½	17
Width around ankle, outside measurement.....	10	10½	11	11½	11½
Width around bottom, outside measurement.....	15½	15½	16½	16½	16½

UNDERSHIRTS.

	Cotton. knlt.	Woolen—light and heavy.
Sizes.	Breast measure. Length.	Breast measure. Length.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1.....	36	30½
2.....	38	31½
3.....	40	32½
4.....	42	33½
5.....	44	34½
6.....	46	35½

DRESS TROUSERS.

Sizes.	Waist.	Seat.	Inseam.	Outseam.	Knee.	Bottom.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1 regular	29	35	30	39	17	16½
2 regular	30	36	30½	39½	17½	16½
3 regular	31	37	31	40½	17½	17½
3½ long	30	36	32½	42½	18	17½
4 regular	32	38	32	42	18	17½
4½ stout	34	40	31	41	18½	18
4½ long	31	37	34	44½	18½	18½
5 regular	33	39	33	43	18½	18
5½ stout	35	41	32	42	19	18½
5½ long	32	38	35	45½	19	18½
6 regular	34	40	33	43	18½	18½
6½ stout	36	42	32	42	19	18½
6½ long	33	39	36	46½	19½	19
7 regular	36	41	33	43½	19	19½
7½ stout	38	43	32	42½	20	19½
7½ long	35	40	34	44½	20½	19½
8 regular	40	44	33½	44	20	19½
9 regular	42	45	34	45	20½	20

OLIVE-DRAB AND KHAKI SERVICE BREECHES, FOOT AND MOUNTED.

Sizes.	Waist.	Seat.	Inseam.	Outseam.	Knee.	Ankle.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>Inches.</i>
1 regular	29	35	26	35	15½	9
2 regular	30	36	26½	35½	16	9½
3 regular	31	37	27	36½	16½	9½
3½ long	30	36	28½	38½	16	9½
4 regular	32	38	28	38	16½	9½
4½ stout	34	40	27	37	17	10
4½ long	31	37	30	40½	16½	9½
5 regular	33	39	29	39	17	10
5½ stout	35	41	28	38	17½	10½
5½ long	32	38	31	41½	17	10
6 regular	34	40	29	39	17½	10½
6½ stout	36	42	28	38	18	10½
6½ long	33	39	32	42½	17½	10½
7 regular	36	41	29	39½	18	10½
7½ stout	38	43	28	38½	18½	10½
7½ long	35	40	30	40½	18	10½
8 regular	40	44	29½	40	18½	11
9 regular	42	45	30	41	19	11½

LINEN COLLARS.

In sizes from 14 inches to 18 inches inclusive.

HATS, SERVICE.

In the following trade sizes, viz: 6½, 7, 7½, 7¾, 7⅝, and 7⅞.

GLOVES.

White cotton and white wool. Sizes: 9, 10, and 11.

Buckskin leather. Measurements around hand as below:

Size $7\frac{1}{2}$, 8, $8\frac{1}{2}$, 9, $9\frac{1}{2}$, 10, $10\frac{1}{2}$, 11, $11\frac{1}{2}$, 12.

Inches $7\frac{1}{2}$, $7\frac{1}{4}$, $7\frac{3}{4}$, 8, $8\frac{1}{2}$, $8\frac{3}{4}$, 9, $9\frac{1}{2}$, $9\frac{3}{4}$.

STOCKINGS.

Cotton, heavy and light, and woolen, light; of five sizes—9, $9\frac{1}{2}$, 10, $10\frac{1}{2}$, and 11 inches, respectively.

Woolen, heavy, in three sizes, $9\frac{1}{2}$, $10\frac{1}{2}$, and $11\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Measuring from the center of the toe to the back center of the heel.

SHOES.

The widths of the new Army shoes hereafter to be purchased will conform to commercial measurements known as C, D, E, EE, and F. "C" is a new and narrower width than any heretofore supplied to the Army, whereas widths D, E, EE, and F conform to the old Army widths AA, A, B, and C.

The *lengths* are the same as heretofore, viz: Sizes 5 to 13 inclusive.

After it shall have been determined what sizes of the articles specified will represent the actual measurements of the respective commands, consolidated lists giving the number of the various sizes or widths of each particular article will be prepared and forwarded to the Quartermaster General of the Army direct, so as to reach him not later than September 1, 1905, with a certificate as to the correctness of the same.

In addition to the consolidated reports herein called for at this time similar action will be taken and reports made on July 1, 1906, and July 1, 1907.

[1006942, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,

Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 71. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 15, 1905.

I.—Paragraphs 720, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1027, and 1235, Army Regulations, are amended to read as follows:

720. On the approved recommendation of a surveying officer, public animals may be killed to prevent contagion or terminate suffering; clothing infected with contagious disease, stores that have become so deteriorated as to endanger health or injure other stores, and unserviceable property of no salable value submitted to a surveying officer under paragraph 682, may be destroyed.

This paragraph will be limited in its application to ordnance property to such articles as form part of the equipment of cavalry and infantry and to articles of similar character and cost, small arms excepted.

Before ordering the destruction of property or stores under this paragraph, the commanding officer will personally inspect the same, and will be held responsible that the conditions justify the action. In case the invoice value of the stores involved exceeds \$500, the approval of the next higher commander must be obtained before destruction of the property, as provided in paragraph 723. A certificate of the witnessing officer that the property has been destroyed as authorized, will be appended to the report.

1020. The annual inspection of all public buildings at every post will be made prior to March 1 by the commanding officer and the quartermaster, after which the latter will prepare an annual estimate on the prescribed form, showing the nature and cost of repairs required and to be paid for out of the appropriations for the ensuing fiscal year. He will omit therefrom all repairs for which funds have been allotted or supplied for the current year.

He will also state the condition of each building and will properly enter under the indicated headings the amounts expended during the preceding year (from March 1 to March 1).

The commanding officer will carefully examine this estimate and on March 1 will forward the same with his recommendation to the department commander.

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If new buildings are required a special report will be made, stating fully the necessity therefor. This report, with the remarks of the department commander, will be forwarded to the War Department, and if authorized, plans and specifications will be prepared in the office of the Quartermaster General.

In the spring, as soon as possible after the fires are out for the season, the quartermaster will inspect the steam, hot air, and hot water heating systems and immediately thereafter will submit estimates for the necessary repairs.

Estimates for heating, plumbing, and water supply will be made separately.

1022. The department commander will take final action upon all annual estimates for repairs to public buildings payable from appropriations for "Barracks and Quarters," made under the provisions of paragraph 1020, as limited by paragraphs 204 and 711.

He will also take final action upon special estimates payable from the same appropriation where the amount involved does not exceed \$200, provided the total annual allotment for the year for that department is not exceeded; but this last authority will not apply to buildings for which a total of \$500 has already been allotted during the current year for repairs. No authorization other than these will be made by the department commander for repairs except as provided for in paragraph 1025.

He will also make recommendation as to the amounts estimated for under "Regular Supplies" for repairs to hay sheds, coal sheds, ice and cold storage plants, and bakeries, but will not take final action on the same until approved by the War Department.

1024. As soon as possible after allotments to posts have been made by the department commander, one copy of the annual estimate will be forwarded to the Quartermaster General. It will have noted thereon the final action of the department commander as pertains to allotments under the appropriation for "Barracks and Quarters," and also his recommendation concerning estimates for repairs to buildings payable from the appropriation for "Regular Supplies."

1027. At each post there will be kept a book (Record Barracks and Quarters—supplied by the Quartermaster's Depart-



ment) in which will be entered a record of every permanent building, under its proper numerical designation. The number originally given a building will be retained as a permanent record and will not be altered to conform to the post directory nor to any changes therein.

On the record of each building will be debited all authorizations for expenditures of any kind on that building, whether annual allotments or special, and as vouchers are paid thereunder the account will be credited therewith.

This book will be balanced annually on March 1, and the total amount expended on that building during the preceding twelve months will be reported on the annual estimate for repairs for the ensuing year.

At the close of each fiscal year, unexpended balances not held by post quartermasters for authorized payments under contract, will be returned to the chief quartermaster of the department, and the account with the building so credited; but no balances will be struck until March 1 of the following year.

This book will be so kept as to show at all times an accurate record of expenditures for all repairs, additions, alterations, etc., that the total cost of the building to date may at any time be determined.

[1004000, M. S. O.]

1235. The medical officer in charge of a general, post, or camp hospital, hospital ship, or transport carrying patients is authorized to purchase, in conformity with the requirements of Article LI, such articles of food, both solid and liquid, not carried in stock by the subsistence officer who issues rations to the hospital, and to call upon such subsistence officer for the issue of such quantities of articles from the stock already on hand as, in the judgment of the medical officer, are required for the diet of enlisted patients under his charge who are too sick to be subsisted on the ration as ordinarily issued; the total combined money value of the stores hereby authorized to be purchased and issued as above in any month not to exceed the rate calculated on the month's transactions of 38 cents per man per day for those actually requiring special diet (except that at the general hospital at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, 50 cents per man per day is authorized). Subsistence officers are authorized to pay all duly certified bills of pur-

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chases made by medical officers under the provisions of this paragraph, or to make the purchases themselves at the request of the medical officers, and to make issues for special diet hereunder from stores on hand at their request, provided the rate of 38 cents per man per day for those enlisted men actually requiring special diet is not exceeded in any month, except at the general hospital at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, where 50 cents is authorized. No article from the special diet allowance will be purchased from any other source so long as the Subsistence Department has it in stock. [900904, M. S. O.]

II.—The following paragraph is added to the Manual for the Quartermaster's Department:

5354. Blank requests will not be removed from the military department to which they have been furnished, nor will they be transferred to officers not authorized to receive them. If lost or stolen, a report, giving the numbers and series of those missing and circumstances attending the loss, will be made at once to the chief quartermaster of the department and to the Quartermaster General, and the former will notify the transportation lines in his department and vicinity not to honor them.

[1004009, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

NOTE.—The last amendments of Army Regulations were made in General Orders, No. 25, War Department, February 15, 1905.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 72.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 17, 1905.

I.--Paragraph 2, General Orders, No. 89, War Department, March 14, 1905, is modified to read as follows:

Upon the arrival of Headquarters and Companies L and M, 3d Battalion of Engineers, at San Francisco, California, Headquarters and Companies C and D, 1st Battalion of Engineers, will be relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and proceed to San Francisco, California, for station.

[1011295, M. S. O.]

II.--Commanding officers of organizations and ordnance officers of posts having in their possession saber belts of either black or fair leather provided with plates and old design saber attachments, or waist belts, either black or fair leather, provided with plates, are instructed to make requisition under the provisions of paragraph 5, General Orders, No. 5, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, January 31, 1903, for russet leather waist belts provided with buckles and the new model slides and saber attachments for the mounted service, and for russet leather waist belts provided with buckles for foot troops to replace the old saber belts and waist belts.

Upon receipt of the new belts organizations serving in the United States will turn in the old belts to the Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois; organizations serving in the Philippine Islands to the Manila Ordnance Depot, Manila, Philippine Islands. [905088, M. S. O.]

III.--By direction of the President, Major General *James F. Wade*, United States Army, in addition to his present duties, will assume temporary command of the Department of the Gulf during the absence of Brigadier General *Thomas H. Barry*, United States Army. [1004489, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 73. }

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, May 19, 1905.

I.--Troops G and H, 8d Cavalry, are relieved from duty at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, and will proceed to and take station at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, the horses and equipments to be transferred to the troops of the 5th Cavalry, now stationed at Fort Apache.

Division and department commanders concerned will by concert of action arrange the details of this movement and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [1010631, M. S. O.]

II.--The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States by order dated May 1, 1905, pursuant to section 12 of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902, entitled "An Act temporarily to provide for the administration of the affairs of civil government in the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes" (32 Stat. L., 691), reserved for military purposes, subject to private rights, all public lands in the Island of Luzon, Philippine Islands, included within boundaries described as follows, viz:

1. On the east side of the entrance to Subig Bay in the Province of Bataan: Beginning at a stone monument at the head of Ilanin Bay, marked No. 1, on a map bearing the legend "Proposed Military Reservations at Subig Bay * * * Office Engineer Officer, Philippines Division, Manila, P. I., Feb. 1905," which monument is on the southern boundary of the United States Naval Reservation at Olongapo; thence due east, with four intermediate stone monuments, 20,616 feet to a stone monument marked No. 6 on said map; thence south 48° 09' 36" east, 4,640 feet to a stone monument marked No. 7 on said map; thence south 58° 37' 35" east, 5,034 feet to a stone monument marked No. 8 on said map; thence south 37° 20' 23" east, 4,931 feet to a stone monument marked No. 9 on said map; thence south 61° 37' 37" west, 5,245 feet to a stone monument marked No. 10 on said map; thence south 80° 28' 50" west, 5,315 feet to a stone monument marked No. 11 on said map; thence north 47° 14' 48" west, 3,568 feet to a stone monument marked No. 12 on said map; thence south 83° 01' 14" west, 5,531

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feet to a stone monument marked No. 13 on said map; thence south $83^{\circ} 37' 16''$ west, 6,503 feet to a stone monument marked No. 14 on said map; thence north $76^{\circ} 49' 04''$ west, 584 feet to a stone monument on the shore of Binanga Bay marked No. 15 on said map; thence, in prolongation of course 14 to 15 to low-water line of Binanga Bay; thence in a northerly direction, following the low-water line of Binanga and Ilanin Bays, to point of intersection of this line with the prolongation of course 2 to 1; thence to point of beginning. Area 7,593.057 acres.

2. On the west side of the entrance to Subig Bay in the Province of Zambales: Beginning at a rock forty feet high rising out of the sea at Blinptican Point; thence north $38^{\circ} 00'$ east, 244.4 feet to a stone monument marked No. 1 on said map; thence north $5^{\circ} 40'$ east, 2,829 feet to a stone monument marked No. 2 on said map; thence north $00^{\circ} 36'$ east, 3,608.4 feet to a stone monument marked No. 3 on said map; thence north about $19^{\circ} 00'$ west, 6,350 feet, more or less, to the western peak of Mt. Silanguin; thence, following the mountain ridge, in a northwesterly direction, about 8,000 feet through each of the Cinco Picos Mountains to the top of the northernmost mountain; thence following the divide between the Agosun and Caguan rivers in a northwesterly direction, about 4,000 feet; thence, still following the divide, in a northeasterly direction, about 19,000 feet to a stone monument on top of Mt. Redondo, marked No. 4 on said map; thence south $68^{\circ} 39'$ east, 2,654.5 feet to a stone monument marked No. 5 on said map; thence south $68^{\circ} 38'$ east, 7,593.3 feet to a stone monument marked No. 6 on said map, which is at Point Petambu on Subig Bay; thence, continuing the same direction, about 30 feet, to low-water line; thence, following the low-water line of Subig Bay, to point of beginning. Area 8,754.86 acres.

3. Grande Island, at the entrance to Subig Bay, and lying between the reservation on the east side of the entrance to Subig Bay and the reservation on the west side of the entrance to Subig Bay. Area about 96 acres. [997075, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL.

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 74. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 20, 1905.

General Orders, No. 43, July 10, 1895, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, is revoked and the following substituted therefor:

1. The issue of clothing to recruits at recruiting stations will be confined to the smallest quantity absolutely necessary to their comfort. If sufficiently clothed when enlisted, uniforms will not be issued to recruits at recruiting stations. The issue of uniforms to recruits at depots will be governed by instructions given depot commanders. Officers on recruiting duty will fully explain to all recruits the importance of economy in the use of their clothing allowance, and will give their personal attention to the prevention of excessive issues.

2. All clothing issued to a recruit at recruiting stations and depots, from date of enlistment, will be entered on Form No. 140, M. S. O., 1905. Immediately before the departure of a recruit from a recruiting station or depot, and immediately after his arrival at a depot or regiment, the list of articles drawn by him will be verified in the presence of a commissioned officer, the recruit himself, and a member of the recruiting party, or a sergeant of his company. A list of the articles of clothing drawn since enlistment will thus follow him until he reaches his final destination, and be verified each time he is transferred from one commanding officer to another.

3. General recruiting stations will be supplied with the necessary Hand Books for issue to recruits immediately after enlistment. When a recruit is forwarded to a depot or regiment, without escort, his clothing account and the descriptive and assignment card will be mailed to the proper commanding officer. [1014319, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 75.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 20, 1905.

Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort McIntosh, Texas, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 47, March 8, 1905, and No. 50, March 7, 1905, Department of Texas, and of which Major AUGUSTUS P. BLOCKSOM, 1st Cavalry, was president, and Captain CHARLES D. ROBERTS, acting judge advocate, was judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Disobedience of orders, in violation of the 21st Article of War.”

Specification—“In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having been granted, on or about December 1st, 1904, a leave of absence for two days, by Major C. J. T. Clarke, 26th Infantry, commanding Fort McIntosh, Texas, for the purpose of visiting San Antonio, Texas, to take effect on or about December 2nd, 1904, and the said leave of absence having been properly revoked, and the said 1st Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having been lawfully commanded, on or about December 9th, 1904, by his superior officer, the said Major C. J. T. Clarke, 26th Infantry, commanding Fort McIntosh, Texas, ‘not to proceed to San Antonio, Texas,’ did wilfully disobey such command. This at Fort McIntosh, Texas, December 9th, 1904.”

CHARGE II.—“Absence without leave, in violation of the 62nd Article of War.”

Specification—“In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, did absent himself from his post and station, without leave from his commanding officer, from about 7.30 o'clock a. m., December 9th, 1904, until about 4.30 p. m., December 11th, 1904. This at Fort McIntosh, Texas.”

ADDITIONAL CHARGE.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

Specification—“In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having been sent a communication in words and figures as follows:

‘FORT MCINTOSH, TEXAS, December 18th, 1904.

‘First Lieutenant ALBERT C. OSBORN,

‘Twenty-sixth Infantry,

‘Fort McIntosh, Texas.

‘SIR:

‘In compliance with instructions from Headquarters Department

of Texas, San Antonio, Texas, of the 15th instant, I am directed by the Commanding Officer to enclose herewith copy of charges and specifications to replace those furnished from this office on the 12th instant.

"Under authority above quoted, you are invited to submit such statement in the case as you may desire to make, for the information of the department commander, through this office.

"Very respectfully,

(Sgd) 'H. D. BLASLAND,

'First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant,

'Twenty-sixth Infantry,

'Adjutant.'

did reply thereto by letter, under date of December 20th, 1904, and did therein make the following statement. 'The leave mentioned was not revoked until after I left, as I ascertained upon my return,' which statement was false, and was known by the said Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, to be false when made, he well knowing that the leave referred to had been revoked before that date by his Commanding Officer, Major C. J. T. Clarke, 26th Infantry. This at Fort McIntosh, Texas."

SECOND ADDITIONAL CHARGE I.—"Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline."

Specification 1st—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, did, in violation of paragraph 1447, Army Regulations, 1901, as amended by General Orders, No. 28, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, dated March 12, 1903, hypothecate his pay accounts for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, before the said accounts were due, by delivering the said accounts to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, as security for a debt that he, *Osborn*, owed to the said Gore. This at Fort McIntosh, Texas, on or about January 16, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, did, in violation of paragraph 1447, Army Regulations, 1901, as amended by General Orders, No. 28, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, dated March 12, 1903, transfer his pay accounts for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, before the said accounts were due, to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry. This at Fort McIntosh, Texas, on or about January 20th, 1904."

SECOND ADDITIONAL CHARGE II.—"Violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having on or about January 20th, 1904, transferred to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, his official pay account and claim against the United States for pay in full for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, amounting to the sum of four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$412.50), did, while the said pay account was still in full force and effect, present, or cause to be presented, to Captain Guy Carleton, Paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, another and false and fraudulent official pay account and claim against the United States for pay for part of the same period, namely, for the month of January, 1904, amounting to one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$137.50), he, the said *Osborn*, well knowing that this subsequent account and claim was false and fraudulent. This at or near Fort McIntosh, Texas, on or about January 31, 1904."

Specification 2d—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having on or about January 20th, 1904, transferred to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, his official pay account and claim against the United States for pay in full for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, amounting to the sum of four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$412.50), did, while the said pay account was still in full force and effect, present, or cause to be presented, to Captain Guy Carleton, Paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, another and false and fraudulent official pay account and claim against the United States for pay for part of the same period, namely, for the month of February, 1904, amounting to one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$137.50), he, the said *Osborn*, well knowing that this subsequent account and claim was false and fraudulent. This at or near Fort McIntosh, Texas, on or about February 29, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having on or about January 20th, 1904, transferred to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, his official pay account and claim against the United States for pay in full for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, amounting to the sum of four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$412.50), did, while the said pay account was still in

- full force and effect, present, or cause to be presented, to

Captain Guy Carleton, Paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, another and false and fraudulent official pay account and claim against the United States for pay for part of the same period, namely, for the month of March, 1904, amounting to one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$137.50), he, the said Osborn, well knowing that this subsequent account and claim was false and fraudulent. This at or near Fort McIntosh, Texas, on or about March 31, 1904."

SECOND ADDITIONAL CHARGE III.—"Embezzlement, to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62nd Article of War."

Specification—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, being on duty in command of Company E, 26th Infantry, and having been intrusted in his said capacity as company commander, by Private William J. Gore, 26th Infantry, with his final statements, dated November 22, 1903, of the value of six hundred and fifty dollars and sixty-three cents (\$650.63), more or less, for the purpose of transmitting the same to a paymaster for deposit of the proceeds thereof with the United States to the credit of the said Gore, did cash the said final statements, or cause them to be cashed, at the Milmo National Bank, of Laredo, Texas, and did wilfully, knowingly, and fraudulently embezzle, and fraudulently misapply and convert to his own use the proceeds of the said final statements, to wit, six hundred and forty six dollars and sixty-three cents (\$646.63), more or less. This at or near Laredo, Texas, on or about November 30th, 1903."

SECOND ADDITIONAL CHARGE IV.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having been intrusted, on or about November 23, 1903, by Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, with his final statements of the face value of six hundred and fifty dollars and sixty-three cents (\$650.63), more or less, for the purpose of sending same to a paymaster for deposit of the proceeds thereof with the United States to the credit of the said Gore, did fraudulently obtain the signature of the said Gore, on the said final statements, and did on or about November 30, 1903, fraudulently cause the said final statements

to be cashed at the Milmo National Bank of Laredo, Texas, and did fraudulently convert the proceeds of the same, namely, six hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-three cents (\$648.63), more or less, to his, the said *Osborn's*, own use; and did, on or about November 26, 1903, wilfully and falsely state to the said Gore that he, *Osborn*, had sent the said final statements to a paymaster, and did wilfully continue to deceive the said Gore as to the disposition made by him, *Osborn*, of the said final statements until on or about January 15, 1904, by falsely representing to him, the said Gore, that he, *Osborn*, had sent the said final statements to a paymaster for deposit. This at or near Fort McIntosh, and Laredo, Texas, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service."

Specification 2d—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, being indebted to the Laredo National Bank of Laredo, Texas, for the sum of two hundred and forty-six dollars and forty-three cents (\$246.48), and having on or about November 1st, 1904, signed a note to said bank for said amount, payable thirty days after date, and having procured as joint signer with him in said note one Charles Deutz by representing to the said Deutz that he, *Osborn*, would pay a portion of the said note when it became due, and that the balance would be satisfied at maturity by the execution of a new note for two hundred dollars (\$200.00), did fail and neglect to carry out his agreement, and did fail and neglect to pay the said note or any portion of it when due, and did thereby cause the amount of the said note, with interest, to be collected by the said bank from the said Deutz, on or about December 18, 1904. This at or near Laredo, Texas, to the scandal and disgrace of the military service."

Specification 3d—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his pay account as an officer in the Army in full, for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, and having assigned the said account to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, did, while the said account remained in full force and effect, knowingly, wilfully, and falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account for the month of January, 1904, duly made and

executed, and did knowingly present, or cause to be presented, the said fraudulent pay account to Captain Guy Carleton, paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, and did fraudulently obtain pay thereon. This at or near Fort McIntosh and at San Antonio, Texas, on or about January 31, 1904."

Specification 4th—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his pay account as an officer in the Army in full for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, and having assigned the said account to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, did, while the said account remained in full force and effect, knowingly, wilfully, and falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account for the month of February, 1904, duly made and executed, and did knowingly present, or cause to be presented, the said fraudulent pay account to Captain Guy Carleton, paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, and did fraudulently obtain pay thereon. This at or near Fort McIntosh and at San Antonio, Texas, on or about March 1, 1904."

Specification 5th—"In that First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having made and executed in due form his pay account as an officer in the Army in full for the months of January, February, and March, 1904, and having assigned the said account to Private William J. Gore, Company E, 26th Infantry, thereby parting with all individual title and interest therein, did, while the said account remained in full force and effect, knowingly, willingly, and falsely certify with his official signature to the correctness of another official pay account for the month of March, 1904, duly made and executed, and did knowingly present, or cause to be presented, the said fraudulent pay account to Captain Guy Carleton, paymaster, U. S. Army, for payment, and did fraudulently obtain pay thereon. This at or near Fort McIntosh and at San Antonio, Texas, on or about April 1, 1904."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the <i>Specification</i> ,	"Not guilty."
To the CHARGE ,	"Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Additional Charge.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Second Additional Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Second Additional Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Second Additional Charge III.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

Second Additional Charge IV.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

*FINDINGS.**Charge I.*

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

Additional Charge.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

Second Additional Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

Second Additional Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Second Additional Charge III.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Second Additional Charge IV.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

WHITE HOUSE, *May 17th, 1905.*

In the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, U. S. Army, the sentence is confirmed and will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

First Lieutenant *Albert C. Osborn*, 26th Infantry, ceases to be an officer of the Army from May 20, 1905.

[101568, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 76. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 25, 1905.

I.—The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States by order dated May 17, 1905, reserved for military purposes, subject to private rights, pursuant to section 12 of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, entitled "An Act temporarily to provide for the administration of the affairs of civil government in the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes" (32 Stat. L., 691), the following described tracts of land at Jolo, Jolo, Philippine Islands, as additions to the military reservation at that place, declared by Executive Order of November 10, 1904, published in General Orders, No. 177, War Department, November 21, 1904, viz:

Tract "A." Starting at a stone monument, which is Station 2 of the original reservation: thence south $40^{\circ} 38'$ west, 130.6 feet to a stone monument (station "a"): thence south $60^{\circ} 31'$ east, 365.3 feet to a stone monument (station "b"): thence north $71^{\circ} 07'$ east, 97.3 feet to a stone monument (station "c"): thence south $84^{\circ} 10'$ east, 447 feet to a stone monument (station "d"): thence north $71^{\circ} 14'$ east, 1,846 feet to a stone monument which is Station 3 of the original reservation: thence south $83^{\circ} 11'$ west, 2,537 feet to point of beginning. Area: about 15.8 acres.

Tract "B." Starting at a point which is on the face of the wall surrounding the city of Jolo on its extreme northeasternmost side (Station 11 of the original reservation): thence north $42^{\circ} 49'$ west, 590 feet to a point marked "e" on map: thence south $44^{\circ} 46'$ west, 278 feet to a point marked "f" on map, which is on inner face of sea-wall on northwestern side of the city of Jolo: thence south $43^{\circ} 24'$ east, 207.2 feet to a point marked "g" on map: thence south $45^{\circ} 36'$ west, 107.6 feet to a point marked "h" on map: thence south $43^{\circ} 43'$ east, 427.8 feet to a point marked "i" on map: thence south $47^{\circ} 30'$ west, 64.6 feet to a point marked "j" on map: thence south $42^{\circ} 30'$ east, 414 feet to point of beginning of the original reservation: thence along line of original reservation to point of beginning. Area: about 5.25 acres.

Tract "C." Starting at a point which is a mark cut on face of southeast wall of city of Jolo, 435.7 feet southwest of center of gateway in southeast wall of city: thence south $42^{\circ} 45'$ east, 236 feet to a point marked "k" on map: thence south $47^{\circ} 15'$ west, 320 feet to a point marked "l" on map: thence north $42^{\circ} 45'$ west, 661.6 feet to mean low-water line, marked "m" on map: thence, along mean low-water line, north $47^{\circ} 15'$ east, 383.2 feet to a point marked "n" on map: thence south $42^{\circ} 45'$ east, 117.7 feet to a point marked "o" on map: thence north $47^{\circ} 15'$ east, 85.9 feet to a point marked "p" on map: thence south $42^{\circ} 45'$ east, 143.9 feet to a point marked "q" on map: thence south $47^{\circ} 15'$ west, 86.4 feet to a point marked "r" on map: thence south $42^{\circ} 45'$ east, 145.4 feet to a point marked "s" on map: thence south $47^{\circ} 15'$ west, 62.7 feet to a point marked "t" on

map: thence south $42^{\circ} 45'$ east, 18.6 feet to point of beginning. Area: about 5.68 acres.

Tract "D" (Post Hospital). Starting at a point on property line on southwest side of Calle Dolance 137 feet from intersection of this property line with the northwest face of sea-wall; thence south $46^{\circ} 41'$ west, 195 feet; thence north $43^{\circ} 19'$ west, 137 feet; thence north $46^{\circ} 41'$ east, 195 feet to intersection of property line Calle Dolance with face of sea-wall; thence south $43^{\circ} 19'$ east, along property line of Calle Dolance to point of beginning. Area: 28,715 square feet. This property is surrounded by sea-wall built into bay.

Tract "E" (Officers' Club Building). Starting at a point on property line on northwest side of Calle Sebanes, 90 feet from its intersection at southwest end of street with inner face of sea-wall; thence north $43^{\circ} 19'$ west, 76 feet; thence south $46^{\circ} 41'$ west, 153 feet; thence south $43^{\circ} 19'$ east, 124 feet; thence north $46^{\circ} 41'$ east, 153 feet; thence north $43^{\circ} 19'$ west, 48 feet to point of beginning. Area: 18,872 square feet.

Tract "F" (Ice Plant). Starting at a point on property line on southwest side of Calle Travesi 57 feet southwest of intersection of said property line with property line on southwest side of Calle Buyon; thence along property line of Calle Travesi south $46^{\circ} 23'$ west, 77.4 feet; thence south $43^{\circ} 37'$ east, 102.6 feet; thence north $46^{\circ} 23'$ east, 77.4 feet; thence north $43^{\circ} 37'$ west, 102.6 feet to point of beginning. Area: 7,941.24 square feet.

Tract "G" (Quartermaster Shop and Blacksmith Shop). Starting at intersection of property line on southeast side of Calle Travesi, with property line on northeast side of Calle Dolance; thence south $43^{\circ} 19'$ east, 44.7 feet; thence north $46^{\circ} 41'$ east, 87 feet; thence north $43^{\circ} 19'$ west, 44.7 feet to property line of Calle Travesi; thence south $46^{\circ} 41'$ west, 87 feet, along property line of Calle Travesi, to point of beginning. Area: 3,988.9 square feet.

Tract "H" (Boat House). Starting at a point on inner face of southwest wall of pier, 335.4 feet northwest of intersection of inner face of southwest wall of pier with stone sentry box at entrance to pier; thence north $45^{\circ} 32'$ west, 51 feet; thence south $44^{\circ} 28'$ west, 79.3 feet; thence south $45^{\circ} 32'$ east, 51 feet; thence north $44^{\circ} 28'$ east, 79.3 feet to point of beginning. Area: 4,044.3 square feet.

Tract "I" (Blockhouse, not included within reservation or additions previously described). Starting at a point bearing south $1^{\circ} 35'$ east, and distant 415 feet from station "d" of Tract "A"; thence south $74^{\circ} 49'$ east, 90.6 feet; thence north $25^{\circ} 17'$ east, 77.25 feet; thence north $73^{\circ} 59'$ west, 90.5 feet; thence south $18^{\circ} 27'$ west, 79.34 feet, to point of beginning. Area: 6,289.84 square feet.

The foregoing lands are shown on a map marked "Map of Proposed Additions to Military Reservation of Jolo, P. I. * * * Office Engineer Officer, Philippines Division, Manila, P. I., Jan., 1905," which map is referred to in some of the descriptions. The bearings given are true. Magnetic variation (1898), $1^{\circ} 31'$ east. [1004737, M. S. O.]

II--The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States by order dated May 17, 1905, modified Executive Order of June 20, 1904, published in General Orders, No. 116, War Department, June 27, 1904, so far as it relates to the military reservation at Zamboanga, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, so as to reserve for military purposes, subject to private rights, pursuant to section 12 of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1903, entitled "An Act temporarily to provide for the administration of the affairs of civil government in the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes" (32 Stat. L., 691), all public lands included within boundaries described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a post marked U. S. on the beach and in the yard of Williamson and Redding; thence north $25^{\circ} 18'$ east, along the east side of Calle Villalobos, for 532.84 feet, to a post marked U. S. set in the northeast corner of the intersection of Calle Marahui with Calle Villalobos; thence south $68^{\circ} 54'$ east, for 493.97 feet, to a post marked U. S.; thence north $23^{\circ} 30'$ east, for 16.4 feet, to a post marked U. S.; thence south $89^{\circ} 53'$ east, for 261.7 feet, to a post marked U. S. set at east side of Tumaga road; thence north $7^{\circ} 14'$ west, along east side of Tumaga road, for 268.2 feet, to a post marked U. S.; thence south $83^{\circ} 12'$ east, for 212.75 feet, to a post marked U. S.; thence south $45^{\circ} 28'$ east, for 466.6 feet, to a post marked U. S.; thence north $76^{\circ} 3'$ east, for 2,051.1 feet, to a post marked U. S., set on left bank of Estero; thence meandering along left bank of Estero, for 2,550 feet, more or less, to a post marked U. S., set on left bank of Estero near its junction with Rio Hondo; thence south $60^{\circ} 13'$ west, across Rio Hondo, for 278.4 feet, to a post marked U. S., set on its left bank; thence meandering the left bank of Rio Hondo, for 400 feet, to a post marked U. S., set near high-water mark on beach; thence north $51^{\circ} 58'$ west, across Rio Hondo, for 276.4 feet to a post marked U. S., set near low-water mark on beach; thence meandering said beach, sea wall, and low-water mark on beach, for 3,760.15 feet, more or less, to point of beginning. Area: 131.3 acres, more or less. All bearings are magnetic.

The said reservation is shown on a map marked "Boundaries of Proposed Military Reservation, Zamboanga, Mindanao, P. I. Surveyed under direction of Captain *Charles Keller*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., by 1st Lieut. *L. V. Frazier*, Corps of Engineers. * * * Moro Province, Office Engineer, Dec., 1904." [1004715, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }

No. 77.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, May 27, 1905.

The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States, by order dated May 17, 1905, reserved for military purposes, under section 12 of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902, entitled "An Act temporarily to provide for the administration of the affairs of civil government in the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes" (32 Stat. L., 691-695), the following properties of the United States, situated in the city of Manila, Philippine Islands, viz:

1. The Cuartel Meisic, three parcels bounded and described as follows:

(a) Parcel I, comprising an area of 24,017 square meters (about 5,935 acres), bounded on the north by Calle Felipe II; on the east by Calle Reina Regente; on the south by an alley without name; and on the west by Calle Meisic, with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the northeast angle of the main stone wall surrounding Cuartel Meisic, said point being on the south line of Calle Felipe II, and distant 8.75 meters in a direction north 80° 14' west from the intersection of said line with the west line of Calle Reina Regente, and is marked "A" on plan, dated January 31, 1905, prepared in the office of the City Engineer, Manila, P. I. (Book 95, page 18), and designated as "Map of Military Reservation Cuartel Meisic, District of Binondo;" thence south 9° 20' west, 213.54 meters, along the outer face of the stone wall surrounding the barrack buildings of the Cuartel Meisic, to the southeast angle of same marked "B" on plan; thence north 81° 00' west, 94.37 meters, along the north side of an alley approximately 3 meters wide leading to the estero and bridge of Jolo, to the southwest angle of the main buildings of the Cuartel Meisic, shown at "C" on plan; thence north 35° 33' west, 37.15 meters, to an angle of the stone building containing the guard house of the barracks, shown at "D" on plan; thence north 8° 57' east, 13.59 meters, along the outer and lower edge of the stone buttresses of the last mentioned stone building, to its northwest corner, shown at "E" on plan; thence south 81° 00' east, 12.30 meters, along the outer face of said stone building, to the intersection of this line with the east line of Calle Meisic, as approved by the Municipal Board January 25, 1905, point of intersection marked "F" on plan; thence north 6° 35' east, 174.95 meters, along the east line of Calle Meisic as approved by the Municipal Board on January 25th, 1905, to its intersection with the south side of Calle Felipe II, as approved by the Municipal Board January 25, 1905, shown at "G" on plan; thence south 80° 14' east, 116.25 meters, along the north side of the Cuartel buildings, to the point of beginning.

(b) Parcel II, comprising an area of 1,364 square meters (about 0.337 acre), being a triangular parcel of land bounded by Calle Santa Elena on the north; Calle Meisic on the east; and an unnamed street on the west.

with truncated angle at each corner of the triangle: said lines being those established by the Municipal Board on January 25, 1905, with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "H" on said plan, said point being south $6^{\circ} 35'$ west, 3.495 meters, from the intersection of the south line of Calle Santa Elena with the west line of Calle Melsic; thence south $6^{\circ} 35'$ west 74.63 meters, along the west line of Calle Melsic to the chafian corner marked "I" on plan; thence south $82^{\circ} 58'$ west, 2.355 meters, along the south chafian of the triangle formed by the three streets above named to point marked "J" on plan; thence north $20^{\circ} 39' 30''$ west, 63.885 meters, along the east line of the unnamed street lying between Calle Melsic and the Estero de Jolo to the angle of the northwest chafian marked "K" on plan; thence north $23^{\circ} 47' 30''$ east, 6.115 meters, along said chafian to the south line of Calle Santa Elena, point marked "L" on plan; thence north $68^{\circ} 14' 30''$ east, 30.24 meters, along the south line of Calle Santa Elena to the angle of the northeast chafian, marked "M" on plan; thence south $52^{\circ} 35'$ east, 3.58 meters, along said northeast chafian to the point of beginning.

(c) Parcel III, comprising an area of 3,580 square meters (about .083 acre), bounded on the north by Calle Felipe II; on the east by Calle Melsic; on the south by Calle Santa Elena; on the west by the property of Mr. Rafael Perez; with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the southeast angle of the stone wall bounding the property of Mr. Rafael Perez at its intersection with the north line of Calle Santa Elena, shown at "N" on said plan; thence north $12^{\circ} 24'$ west, 21.90 meters, along the line of the stone wall aforementioned, to its intersection with the south line of Calle Felipe II, as established by the Municipal Board of the City of Manila on January 25, 1905, said point being shown at "O" on plan; thence south $80^{\circ} 14'$ east, 66.88 meters, along said south line of Calle Felipe II to its intersection with the west line of Calle Melsic as established January 25, 1905, shown at "P" on plan; thence south $6^{\circ} 35'$ west, 49.15 meters, along said west line of Calle Melsic to the angle of the chafian shown at "Q" on plan; thence south $37^{\circ} 25'$ west, 5.15 meters, along said chafian to its intersection with the north line of Calle Santa Elena aforementioned, point shown at "R" on plan; thence south $68^{\circ} 14' 30''$ west, 42.56 meters, along said north line of Calle Santa Elena to the point of beginning.

All bearings are from true meridian.

3. The Estado Mayor, comprising an area of 10,380 square meters (about 2.565 acres), bounded on the north by military land; on the east by the Pasig River; on the south by land of the City of Manila; on the west by Calle Arroceros; with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "J" on plan of survey of said reservation dated January 27, 1905 (Book 509, page 1), prepared in the Office of the City Engineer, Manila, P. I., and designated as "Plan of Survey of Portion of Land Occupied by the Military Authorities at Estado Mayor, District of Ermita, Manila, P. I.," which point is at the southeast corner of a stone post at the intersection of a stone wall on the westerly side of the Pasig River and a wood and stone fence on the northerly side of land of the City of Manila (Arroceros Shops); thence south $64^{\circ} 37'$ west, along the southerly side of a wood and stone fence for 128.86 meters to point "A" on plan;

thence north 28° 44' west, along the present property line of Calle Arroceros for 65.64 meters to point "C" on plan; thence north 57° 15' east, along the line of a wooden building for 60.09 meters to point "D" on plan; thence south 32° 02' east along the line of a wooden building for 6.33 meters to point "E" on plan; thence north 59° 22' east, along the line of a wooden building for 12.25 meters to point "F" on plan; thence north 31° 01' west, along the line of a wooden building for 32.12 meters to point "G" on plan; thence north 58° 23' east, along the line of a wooden building for 47.60 meters to point "H" on plan; thence south 40° 56' east, along the outside of a stone wall built on the westerly side of Pasig River, for 11.90 meters to point "I" on plan; thence south 33° 15' east, along the outside of the last-mentioned stone wall for 94.40 meters to point "J" on plan, or point of beginning.

All bearings magnetic for 1905.

3. "Malate Barracks," commonly called "Cuartel Malate," two parcels, bounded and described as follows:

(a) Parcel "A," comprising an area of 12,653.85 square meters (about 3.126 acres), bounded on the north by Calle Herran; on the east by Calle Nueva; on the south by Calle Cortado, and on the west by Calle Real; with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "1" on plan, dated February 3, 1905, prepared in the office of the City Engineer, Manila, P. I., and designated as "Map of Military Reservation, Cuartel Malate," said point being the intersection of the west building line of Calle Nueva and the south building line of Calle Herran, as approved by the Municipal Board, December 11, 1903, and December 20, 1904; thence south 25° 22' east, along the aforementioned west building line of Calle Nueva, a distance of 129.74 meters to point "2" on plan; thence south 65° 31' west, along the north building line of Calle Cortado (approved February 3, 1905), a distance of 63.80 meters to point "3" on plan; thence north 26° 13' west, along the east building line of Calle Real (approved December 18, 1903), a distance of 137.34 meters to point "4" on plan; thence north 70° 13' east, along the south building line of Calle Herran (approved December 20, 1904), a distance of 96.28 meters to point "1" on plan, or point of beginning.

(b) Parcel "B," comprising an area of 16,985.85 square meters (about 4.197 acres), bounded on the north by a callejon and city property; on the east by Calle Real; on the south by the land of Encarnacion de Elizalde & Sons, and on the west by Manila Bay; with metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "1" on said plan, said point being the intersection of the west building line of Calle Real (approved December 18, 1903), and the south side of a callejon marking the north boundary of the Military Reservation, also being 45.15 meters north 26° 13' west, from the intersection of center line of Calle Herran and the west building line of Calle Real; thence south 67° 14' west, along south side of said callejon a distance of 66.20 meters to point "2" on plan; thence following the line of high water in Manila Bay, south 14° 28' east, for 8.33 meters to point "3" on plan; thence south 25° 44' east, for 37.20 meters to point "4" on plan; thence south 11° 19' east, for 13.00 meters to point "5" on plan; thence still following the line of high water south 26° 57' east, for 169.07 meters, to point "6" on plan; thence south 14° 57' east, for 17.68 meters to point



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 78. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 31, 1905.

I.—All dummy cartridges of old design (for the U. S. magazine rifle, models of 1896 and 1898, and for the U. S. magazine carbine, model of 1899), distinguished by three rings around the shell in front of the flange, which are now in the possession of post ordnance officers or organizations, will be turned in to the nearest arsenal or ordnance depot.

Requisition will be made in accordance with the provisions of General Orders, No. 5, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, January 21, 1903, for dummy cartridges of the latest design to replace those turned in.

The new dummy cartridge is tinned, provided with six longitudinal corrugations, and has three circular holes near the head end of alternate corrugations.

[1007338, M. S. O.]

II.—The following order of the President is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

Whereas. By an Act of Congress which received Executive approval on February 23, 1887, all officers or agents of the United States were as a matter of public policy forbidden, under appropriate penalties, to hire or contract out the labor of any criminals who might thereafter be confined in any prison, jail, or other place of incarceration for the violation of any laws of the Government of the United States of America:

It is hereby ordered. That all contracts which shall hereafter be entered into by officers or agents of the United States involving the employment of labor in the States composing the Union, or the Territories of the United States contiguous thereto, shall, unless otherwise provided by law, contain a stipulation forbidding, in the performance of such contracts, the employment of persons undergoing sentences of imprisonment at hard labor which have been imposed by courts of the several States, Territories, or municipalities having criminal jurisdiction.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

The WHITE HOUSE, May 18, 1905.

[1018456, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, {
No. 79.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 1, 1905.

The accompanying tables, exhibiting the results of rifle, carbine, and pistol firing of the Army (exclusive of the organizations stationed in the Philippines Division) for the target year 1904, the comparative proficiency attained by the different organizations, and the names of the expert riflemen who qualified during the year 1904, are published for the information of the Army.

[1006465 M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

AUG 15 1905

TABLE II.—Summary of the rifle, carbine, and pistol firing at the military posts of the United States, for the year 1904, showing general figure of merit and order in the Army—Continued.

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	Per cent of average strength qualified.	Number firing.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Number present not firing.	Figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.		Collective figure of merit.	General figure of merit.	(Order.)	Average per cent, dismounted course.	Average per cent, mounted course.	Average per cent, two courses.	(Order.)
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Alcatraz Island.....	89.7	234	211	35	72	63	51	12	59	4	244	207	51, 5.55, 7	207	39, 3.49, 1	207	42, 4.42, 4	207	42, 4.44, 4	207	42, 4.44, 4	753, 1	18, 0.1	61, 0.31					
Fort Mason.....	95.2	120	111	27	38	28	16	3	71	2	119	100	53, 3.60, 3	100	51, 0.59, 3	100	41, 3.44, 0	100	41, 3.44, 0	100	41, 3.44, 0	561, 1	5, 0.5	75, 0.2					
Fort McDowell.....	93.3	319	124	62	90	76	66	—	66	5	326	276	48, 9.74, 0	276	42, 3.51, 0	276	38, 8.55, 1	276	38, 8.55, 1	276	38, 8.55, 1	559, 0	8, 0.5	65, 2.20					
Presidio of Monterey.....	92.4	947	863	104	254	238	250	13	61	9	927	780	45, 6.55, 9	780	35, 6.50, 7	780	31, 6.41, 8	780	31, 6.41, 8	780	31, 6.41, 8	543, 1	5, 0.2	43, 5.52					
Presidio (Infantry Cantonment).....	92.0	1,365	15	75	223	392	600	—	39	8	1,344	1,332	52, 4.63, 3	1,332	40, 2.49, 2	1,332	33, 3.39, 2	1,332	33, 3.39, 2	1,332	33, 3.39, 2	942, 0	9, 0.5	62, 5.27					
Presidio of San Francisco.....	89.7	242	6	10	36	69	121	3	37	8	259	219	30, 9.36, 1	219	20, 4.25, 7	219	17, 4.19, 6	219	17, 4.19, 6	219	17, 4.19, 6	931, 4	7, 0.5	73, 7	48, 2	47			

(a) No reports received from posts other than those named in this column.

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Fort Apache.....	91.7	300	118	3	72	95	120	2	46.8	316	263	52	260.8	263	41	346.8	263	37	945.0	443.8	851.5	546.7	746.9	528	65.9	931.0	644.8	843.8						
Fort Douglas.....	79.9	187	6	8	23	60	90	68	30.1	182	163	51	056.4	163	42	747.8	163	34	411.6	432.7	747.8	844.3	837.5	548	71.3	100.3	538.2	668						
Fort Duchesne.....	88.6	99	6	15	31	47	5	37.8	100	83	44	646.2	83	28	126.9	83	16	513.3	29.7	726.8	828.5	633.2	565	65.8	10.0	538.2	258							
Fort Grant.....	92.9	52	3	1	9	10	18	11	65.6	60	51	62	755.6	51	46	465.4	51	41	258.8	560.1	593	955.0	900.3	668	526	248	446							
Fort Huachuca.....	88.6	217	2	17	20	36	63	70	8	51.6	227	181	54	757.5	181	40	446.2	181	32	835.5	542.4	546.4	441.7	746.7	730	69.2	426.5	567.4						
Fort Logan.....	90.6	722	946	134	178	184				697	577	54	862.3	577	13	950.3	577	33	636.1	440.2	546	466.4	522	646	156	9	112.6	65.4						
Fort Union.....	40.6	40	0	1	13	24	33		48.3	71	69	42	269.4	69	52	841.7	69	33	366	349	802	850	22	64	216	440								
Fort Wingate.....	95.1	112	4	14	16	24	54		44.1	161	104	44	132.3	104	25	326.3	104	15	310	523	425	935	032	64	527	646	1	160						

Department of the Columbia.

Boise Barracks (c)	90.8	61	1	0	21	33	31.6	59	52.39	1.41	0	52.30	8.37	2	62	44	2.28	2.38	0.35	5.38	2.34	9.73	0.1	4.18	6.40	0.56	
Fort Edgert.	85.5	118	4	5	41	23	25	131	109.28	7.41	3	109.29	1.37	9	109	18	0	14	1.25	3.31	1.27	6.70	0	70	0	9	
Fort St. Michael	85.2	115	1	2	5	30	27	60	108.44	4.92	6	108.40	4.40	1	108	23	1.26	9.36	0.96	5.95	5.39	2.43	71	0	0	0	
Vancouver Barracks	98.6	746	14	58	112	108	101	293	4	675.33	2.62	0	675.44	3.52	8	575	33	9.43	9.43	0.63	1.45	5.64	0.17	63	2	268	
Fort Walla Walla.	80.2	263	1	5	22	41	73	121	3	215.36	1.43	4	215.28	0.34	1	215	11	1.80	2.27	0.82	8.28	5.35	6.01	63	3.31	2.47	3.69

Department of Dakota.

Fort Assiniboine	87.4	602	15	57	112	148	166	104	4	540.59	2.63	6	540.45	1.52	7	540	33	9.39	8.46	1.52	0.48	6.90	0	704	3.31	7.48	0.48
Fort Harrison	96.7	297	5	15	21	78	101	77	3	251.46	7.55	9	251.36	1.47	0	251	29	1.30	3.57	3.44	4.49	6.49	0.23	67	2	67	2.16
Fort Keogh	94.6	366	4	5	38	12	206	4	373	314.41	0.82	3	314.31	5.30	1	314	27	0.35	5.53	5.42	8.37	8.34	7.04	86	5.22	3.40	9.63
Fort Lincoln	102.8	321	3	4	5	20	37	63	4	95.92	6.66	1	95.23	5.33	8	95	23	1.30	5.34	7.39	9.32	3.38	3.46	No pistol	0	0	
Fort Minnola	98.9	269	18	41	61	80	60	01	4	215.36	1.53	8	215.43	1.54	7	215	32	1.46	7.44	0.51	6.47	6.54	5.16	63	7	25	
Fort Snelling	91.3	484	8	78	77	128	114	79	6	424.48	3.62	3	424.32	6.42	1	424	17	1.19	0.33	0.41	1.36	3.36	1.15	64	8	22	
Fort Yellowstone	96.5	135	6	20	26	17	30	36	1	115.42	3.40	0	115.25	6.25	8	115	23	2.25	2.31	7.31	7.21	9.47	5.25	70	6.27	3.48	9.43

Department of the East.

Allegheny Arsenal (c)	84.0	58	2	2	8	14	30	43.1	487	386.32	2.31	9	386.21	3.18	8	386	13	10.8	22.2	20.5	19.9	19.7	61	51	9.25	9.38	9.67	
Fort Ethan Allen	86.6	457	5	7	16	63	366	28	19.5	218.33	5.92	1	218.33	5.92	1	218	13	5.21	1.31	1.42	7.36	4.31	5	6	6	56	637	
Fort Hamilton	97.7	265	1	6	3	10	64	181	4	250	218.46	3.44	9	218.43	3.46	2	218	13	5.21	1.31	1.42	7.36	4.31	5	6	6	56	637
Henry Barracks, Porto Rico	98.4	256	1	11	10	48	66	120	42.8	250	210.04	0.65	2	210.43	3.46	2	210	18	2.23	8.42	2.45	4.43	3.43	1.34	No pistol	0	0	
Fort Jay	98.3	511	5.38	40	47	165	116	00	9	547	425.36	3.68	9	425.46	0.38	9	425	38	4.47	2.46	9.58	7.02	3.56	6.13	No pistol	0	0	
Madison Barracks	93.8	320	3	6	3	19	97	222	1	323	271.31	0.39	2	271.26	6.32	1	271	19	9.23	5.25	8.31	6.28	4.27	9.59	86	7.24	1.40	4.54
Fort Myer	96.5	250	7	13	46	66	71	47	67	246	212.96	3.83	2	212.51	6.74	5	212	44	3.58	0.50	7.71	9.62	2.65	0	3	No pistol	0	0
Fort Niagara (b)	93.7	754	7	8	35	129	197	387	8	701	640.19	3.57	1	640.34	9.40	4	640	25	5.36	3.96	6.45	3.40	5.68	3	9	61	2	
Plattsburgh Barracks	96.3	267	4	7	31	87	78	60	69	8	221.52	8.90	4	221.52	3.64	7	221	44	4.37	7.48	9.64	3.56	8.58	3	9	61	2	
Fort Porter	96.1	258	1	13	6	44	73	119	5	258	220.46	7.38	8	220.37	4.41	8	220	44	4.37	7.48	9.64	3.56	8.58	3	9	61	2	
San Juan, Porto Rico	91.9	423	18	43	94	118	150	1	36	381	309.01	9.06	9	309.42	2.49	9	309	14	2.22	8.41	2.46	5.41	9.46	3.31	94	5	64	5.23
Fort Slocum	82.0	269	1	6	13	31	86	132	1	302	225.45	4.49	1	225.36	7.41	8	225	22	1.32	2.34	7.41	0.34	7.38	6.50	No pistol	0	0	
Washington Barracks	94.4	759	3.22	33	97	218	396	6	37	745	620.49	4.04	0	628.32	0.43	3	629	24	2.96	3.35	2.48	0.41	4.39	7.41	63	2.49	3.56	3.58

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Camp George H. Thomas	92.0	498	5	22	94	171	296	4	511	421.51	4.62	2	423.46	7.56	1	424	32	6.42	2.43	6.53	5.47	3.44	2.33	05	4	66	4	118
Fort McPherson	92.0	498	5	22	94	171	296	4	511	421.51	4.62	2	423.46	7.56	1	424	32	6.42	2.43	6.53	5.47	3.44	2.33	05	4	66	4	118

(a) No reports received from posts other than those named in this column. (b) Number firing in collective fire exceeds 85 per cent of enlisted strength present. (c) No collective firing.

TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904.

Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.		
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.				Collective figure of merit.	
												Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.					Volley fire, per cent of possible score.
Engineers.	F and S, 1st bat'n.	40.0								87.9	87	73	28.6	29.7	73	28.8	32.4	73	18.3	28.8	30.3	27.1	30.2			
	A	88.0	1	1	4	8	17	50		33.3	79	67	43.3	36.3	67	27.9	23.4	67	15.4	22.9	27.0	27.9	31.1			
	B	88.1								34.3	79	67	43.3	36.3	74	22.1	31.1	74	20.3	23.9	29.5	27.8	35.3			
	C	93.5	3	3	4	13	30	36		42.8	90	77	32.9	39.5	74	19.0	24.2	77	17.7	24.7	29.3	26.9	30.8			
	D	94.7								34.6	90	77	35.6	39.0	77	19.0	24.2	77	17.7	24.7	29.3	26.9	30.8			
	E	69.7								36.8	70	60	42.2	53.9	60	38.9	45.0	60	22.8	27.9	34.6	35.8	38.3			
	F	85.9	1	1	3	4	24	33		31.6	70	60	40.1	47.5	54	25.9	33.3	54	22.8	30.2	37.6	30.7	31.9			
	G	86.3								37.8	76	60	57.1	48.2	56	37.5	44.8	60	19.0	25.0	37.9	39.3	33.5			
	H	90.1								46.5	77	59	42.0	46.7	66	43.1	43.6	66	21.0	36.4	41.9	38.5	42.5			
	Total.	I (a)																								
J (a)																										
K (a)																										
L (a)																										
Total.	M	86.8	2	13	20	72	176	311		37.6	645	628	330.3	41.4	620	20.9	34.1	296	119.8	28.2	20.7	34.6	30.8	24.2		
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TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	(Order in regiment.	(Order in Army.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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P. and S.					
A	66.7	1	1	1	1
B	69.4	4	8	12	1
C	49.4	2	11	13	1
D	85.5	3	6	9	1
E	47.4	1	6	7	1
F	79.7	6	7	13	1
G	76.2	4	1	5	1
H	76.8	7	2	9	1
I	90.6	2	13	15	1
J	98.4	2	8	10	1
K	96.4	13	27	40	1
L	89.2	1	11	12	1
M					
Total.	76.3	31	783	814	363
A	98.3	4	11	15	1
B	94.2	2	5	7	1
C	100.0	4	5	9	1
D	97.0	1	3	4	1
E	87.5	6	7	13	1
F	98.5	2	3	5	1
G	98.4	1	9	10	1
H	98.4	4	6	10	1
I	95.7	1	12	13	1
J	98.5	1	8	9	1
K	89.1	1	9	10	1
L	91.0	1	7	8	1
M					
Total.	94.4	32	33	65	396

6th Cavalry.

7th Cavalry.

Total.

F. S., and band.		1		3		6		30.6		63		41.5		53.5		53		20.1		27.0		53		23.3		34.0		28.3		38.2		32.9		40.7			
A		3	5	11	23	23	2	48.5	63	53	41.5	53.5	53	20.1	27.0	53	23.3	34.0	28.3	38.2	32.9	40.7	3	238													
B		2	4	17	17	23	35.1	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
C		2	1	8	16	32	35.1	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
D		2	1	10	13	35	35.2	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
E		2	4	8	18	34	35.2	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
F		3	7	10	18	34	35.2	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
G		3	7	10	18	34	35.2	63	53	54	38.9	47.7	61	34.8	37.9	61	32.0	27.5	32.9	37.7	33.6	44.4	1	197													
H		1	4	6	13	40	1	34.0	64	54	37.0	32.7	54	31.4	33.3	61	30.3	15.0	29.7	31.6	29.3	41.2	2	229													
I		1	2	9	14	35	1	29.3	63	53	37.3	46.4	51	31.4	33.3	61	30.3	15.0	29.7	31.6	29.3	41.2	2	229													
J		1	2	7	12	15	1	24.3	63	53	37.3	46.4	51	31.4	33.3	61	30.3	15.0	29.7	31.6	29.3	41.2	2	229													
K		1	2	7	12	15	1	24.3	63	53	37.3	46.4	51	31.4	33.3	61	30.3	15.0	29.7	31.6	29.3	41.2	2	229													
L		5	6	18	22	29	59.8	66	56	56	19.6	40.5	40.5	56	8.3	17.9	56	16.7	16.7	29.8	25.8	27.2	32.2	5	317												
M		5	6	18	22	29	59.8	66	56	56	19.6	40.5	40.5	56	8.3	17.9	56	16.7	16.7	29.8	25.8	27.2	32.2	5	317												
Total.		44	123	211	356	8	646	37.6	43.3	646	25.7	31.1	646	21.4	34.3	28.2	32.9	30.1	35.3	27.2	24.5	23.4	12	26													
F. and S., 2d squad.		1		1		50.0		63		41.5		53.5		53		20.1		27.0		53		23.3		34.0		28.3		38.2		32.9		40.7					
A		15	5	19	17	12	76.4	64	55	68.5	70.3	65	47.9	57.6	55	20.6	27.2	41.8	45.7	56.6	61.7	64.1	3	37													
B		2	3	17	17	27	45.4	64	63	61.7	47.7	51	32.7	38.2	48.1	54	27.2	28.4	35.5	44.0	44.4	44.9	3	188													
C		3	2	14	18	27	44.8	60	51	60.5	48.4	54	32.7	38.2	48.1	54	27.2	28.4	35.5	44.0	44.4	44.9	3	188													
D		4	7	15	36	27	36.0	60	51	60.5	48.4	54	32.7	38.2	48.1	54	27.2	28.4	35.5	44.0	44.4	44.9	3	188													
E		7	9	15	30	36	39.3	63	54	48.4	46.2	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	3	246												
F		7	9	15	30	36	39.3	63	54	48.4	46.2	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	3	246												
G		9	4	16	38	27	29.5	65	54	30.2	24.5	54	19.8	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	3	246												
H		3	3	11	16	27	44.0	64	54	29.6	24.5	54	19.8	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	54	26.6	27.6	47.4	3	246												
I		1	17	9	25	9	95.2	64	53	69.1	87.4	54	34.0	74.2	73.0	53	42.8	100.6	68.7	72.1	62.9	83.7	1	14													
J		1	17	9	25	9	95.2	64	53	69.1	87.4	54	34.0	74.2	73.0	53	42.8	100.6	68.7	72.1	62.9	83.7	1	14													
K		16	24	12	2	58.0	80.5	64	53	69.1	87.4	54	34.0	74.2	73.0	53	42.8	100.6	68.7	72.1	62.9	83.7	1	14													
L		10	1	13	1	66.0	61.0	64	52	54.5	46.8	52	22.4	40.4	57.7	52	23.1	71.2	45.7	62.4	61.7	51.8	6	119													
M		13	1	10	8	21	58.9	64	52	53.2	46.8	52	22.4	40.4	57.7	52	23.1	71.2	45.7	62.4	61.7	51.8	6	119													
Total.		5	75	51	163	193	750	51.3	60.5	638	37.8	46.6	638	24.8	42.3	36.0	49.8	43.4	49.4	---	---	---	---	14													

9th Cavalry.

10th Cavalry.

Total.

P. S. unit N. C. S.	1		2		50.7		15th Cavalry.																				1st Infantry.																				Total.	
	A	B	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31															
A	77.3				15.9	63	48	29.2	25.7	48	33.9	16.7	48	13.2	6.3	9.7	19.7	17.4	16.6	16.3	9	39.5																										
B	81.8				3	13.0	61	23.5	30.6	48	23.9	17.4	48	16.0	13.2	6.3	22.0	18.1	18.6	16.3	10	396																										
C	89.0				5	60	51	22.9	23.2	63	13.8	5.0	53	9.2	9.8	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.3	11	367																											
D	97.9				6	42	53	38.2	38.1	40.5	70	18.1	28.6	22.9	22.9	26.4	30.7	28.7	34.0	17	303																											
E	90.5				2	69	62	45.9	39.5	63	32.3	38.1	38.1	38.1	38.1	37.0	37.0	37.0	37.0	2	332																											
F	91.7				2	53	60	46.0	40.5	69.5	37.0	44.3	47.6	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	2	332																											
G	96.4				7	25	60	30.2	30.2	82.7	21.1	16.8	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	8	346																											
H	96.2				4	8	71	16.8	16.8	20.1	18.1	68	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	8	346																											
I	100.0				3	10	44	18.1	18.1	68	42.4	45.8	48	35.4	35.4	35.4	35.4	35.4	35.4	14	12	369																										
J	72.2				2	6	42	20	14.5	60	48	21.5	29.2	48	9	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	15	11	368																										
K	83.5				1	3	61	41	23.9	59	47	24.1	17.7	47	9.9	7.8	24.6	17.2	19.6	21.8	4	335																										
L	87.8				3	2	1	9	43	64	53	30.5	33.3	43	24.8	18.6	40.8	34.9	30.0	26.9	4	335																										
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(c) No practice.

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Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.		
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												Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.				Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.
2d Infantry.	N. C. S. and band.	100.0	2	3	4	3	1	1	114.2	60	49	52.4	57.8	49	50.3	53.3	49	30.6	36.1	44.4	49.0	44.9	53.5	9	102	
	A	90.5	1	7	15	10	11	16	62.0	60	50	50.2	58.0	50	48.7	53.3	53	37.3	46.7	49.3	52.7	50.1	55.3	7	92	
	B	93.0	1	6	19	13	14	14	71.9	58	54	58.4	58.0	54	48.7	53.3	64.2	30.4	50.6	45.9	46.4	48.6	58.3	6	65	
	C	97.1	1	7	9	14	19	13	67.9	58	46	88.4	58.0	46	47.1	39.1	46.4	37.7	42.0	57.7	46.4	48.6	58.3	6	65	
	D	86.3	1	7	9	14	19	13	61.8	54	46	31.2	55.1	46	41.3	53.3	46	28.3	34.8	33.6	41.1	37.4	48.6	11	139	
	E	91.7	1	2	12	9	23	12	61.8	54	46	47.6	53.2	47	39.7	53.2	47	27.0	35.5	40.0	53.4	46.1	58.5	4	55	
	F	97.0	1	6	14	19	16	7	72.9	56	47	53.2	71.6	47	39.7	53.2	47	27.0	35.5	40.0	53.4	46.1	58.5	4	55	
	G	100.0	1	9	21	8	10	12	77.8	60	51	44.4	62.7	51	26.8	58.2	51	26.8	32.0	32.0	34.0	51.0	41.5	59.7	3	54
	H	93.8	1	10	4	15	16	16	59.4	61	51	37.3	62.7	51	40.5	45.1	45.1	26.8	32.0	34.0	47.9	40.7	50.1	3	54	
	I	74.6	1	8	2	14	16	16	66.2	54	38	58.8	60.5	38	53.5	50.9	44.7	30.8	39.5	50.6	52.0	42.5	54.4	8	98	
	K	95.0	1	8	2	14	15	12	66.1	53	46	61.6	57.2	46	45.7	47.1	47.1	46	47.8	52.6	45.6	48.7	47.4	8	98	
	L	98.4	1	7	8	13	25	13	86.1	57	48	54.2	60.0	44	46.1	47.2	48	38.2	53.7	46.8	47.0	46.0	46.3	12	176	
	M	97.0	1	21	6	9	11	12	88.3	50	51	50.2	71.9	51	51.6	55.6	51	28.1	34.1	40.0	56.9	51.5	59.9	1	19	
Total.	14	92.4	9	86	134	132	178	180	67.7	64.8	62.5	677	41.9	50.3	677	33.9	39.1	44.1	50.8	43.1	50.1	50.1	50.1	5		

3d Infantry.	A (a)		B (b)		C (c)		D (d)		E (e)		F (f)		G (g)		H (h)		I (i)		J (j)		K (k)		L (l)		M (m)		Total.
	4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		
	F. S. and N. C. S. }	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	82.6	
	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	
	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	85.1	
	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	
	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	
	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	
	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	
	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	
	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	
	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	
	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	
	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	
	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	
	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	
	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	
	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	
	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	
	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	
	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	
	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	
	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	
	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	
	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	
	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	
	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	
	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	
	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	
	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	
	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	
	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76								

(a) Stationed in Alaska.

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TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	('company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	(Order in regiment.	(Order in Army.	
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.				
												Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent	Fire at will, per cent	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent	Fire at will, per cent	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent	Fire at will, per cent	Number firing.				Volley fire.	Fire at will.
6th Infantry.	M	94.6	1	24	54	154	311	504	39	7	1040	84	32.3	51.4	84	29.7	45.7	84	21.8	39.7	20.9	45.0	36.3	38.0	25
	L	89.5	4	12	15	18	15	25	43	36	73	29.7	76.3	73	25.1	73	25.1	73	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	K	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	J	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	I	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	H	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	G	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	F	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	E	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	D	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	C	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	B	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1
	A	84.5	4	13	6	27	22	40	48	36	74	32.0	55.0	75	21.9	70.2	43.7	74	20.1	47.9	25.0	49.7	38.3	38.9	1

8th Infantry.	A	65.6	---	3	2	17	15	5	1	54.7	60	38	50.0	37.7	38	34.2	35.1	38	22.8	11.4	35.7	28.1	23.8	41.3	0	225	
	B	98.3	---	6	2	17	18	19	---	55.9	63	53	66.0	62.9	53	36.5	35.6	53	13.2	10.1	38.0	37.5	37.7	46.8	5	170	
	C	100.0	---	---	4	15	16	23	---	42.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
	D	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
8th Infantry.	E	97.0	---	3	4	14	14	30	---	44.6	64	52	75.0	69.2	62	49.4	62.8	52	24.4	39.7	40.6	57.2	51.1	47.9	3	158	
	F	100.0	---	1	1	10	13	36	---	53.0	60	51	54.2	56.2	51	40.5	38.6	51	15.7	21.6	36.8	38.8	37.8	35.4	8	290	
	G	98.4	---	2	1	15	24	22	---	48.0	62	53	68.2	74.8	53	49.7	47.8	53	25.5	22.6	48.2	48.4	48.6	47.3	4	183	
	H	98.5	---	1	5	9	16	32	---	46.9	64	54	57.4	64.2	54	34.0	35.8	54	11.1	11.7	34.2	37.2	35.4	41.2	7	228	
8th Infantry.	I	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
	J	98.9	3	3	10	22	15	11	---	71.3	63	54	59.3	56.9	54	59.9	52.7	54	44.4	73.5	54.5	84.4	70.1	70.7	1	16	
	K	98.8	1	1	7	10	23	19	---	51.5	58	52	60.3	63.4	52	44.2	72.4	52	34.0	51.3	46.2	63.0	57.6	54.6	2	94	
	M	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Total.	9	94.2	5	21	36	131	153	199	1	49.8	494	407	61.8	67.1	407	43.9	52.5	407	24.0	31.0	43.2	50.2	45.3	47.6	---	15	
9th Infantry.	F, S, and Band.	6.6	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
	A	92.7	3	8	20	15	17	1	---	141.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
	B	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
	C	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
9th Infantry.	D	84.0	2	2	8	14	14	30	---	43.1	59	50	39.3	93.3	50	48.0	73.3	50	38.7	49.3	42.0	72.0	58.9	54.6	6	81	
	E	100.0	5	2	6	24	24	24	---	46.6	64	46.9	73.5	54	46.3	49.0	54	46.7	45.7	44.6	60.7	52.3	49.5	10	140		
	F	97.0	1	6	4	14	21	20	---	57.6	65	54.5	64.5	53.6	55	42.4	48.3	54	32.7	49.1	43.2	54.1	48.1	53.1	7	113	
	G	98.4	3	5	18	19	16	17	---	55.9	65	54	53.1	58.3	54	42.1	44.3	54	32.4	50.0	45.9	54.5	48.1	52.5	8	113	
9th Infantry.	H	98.4	1	6	3	31	14	7	---	72.5	60	51	64.7	63.4	51	48.1	58.9	51	47.1	54.2	52.3	62.3	57.4	55.0	9	36	
	I	100.0	---	2	11	25	20	9	---	72.1	64	55.3	59.3	67.7	53	55.6	74.1	54	31.5	47.2	48.3	60.3	54.8	62.0	2	44	
	J	95.5	1	8	6	16	20	13	---	67.7	63	53	64.8	72.3	53	43.4	53.5	53	39.8	37.6	48.3	54.3	48.8	58.8	4	59	
	K	96.9	1	4	7	17	29	11	---	59.9	62	52	58.6	68.9	52	51.3	61.3	52	47.7	50.6	32.8	62.6	57.7	58.5	5	63	
9th Infantry.	L	96.3	---	3	7	19	18	16	---	57.7	62	52	46.1	60.9	52	35.3	46.1	52	41.7	43.6	41.7	50.9	45.7	51.7	9	121	
	M	96.3	---	3	7	19	18	16	---	57.7	62	52	46.1	60.9	52	35.3	46.1	52	41.7	43.6	41.7	50.9	45.7	51.7	9	121	
	Total.	12	89.3	10	49	71	189	212	163	---	61.7	630	531	55.6	72.1	531	47.0	62.2	531	40.6	48.5	47.7	60.9	53.9	57.8	---	2

(a) Stationed in Alaska.

(c) Stationed at Pekin, China.

(b) Number firing in collective fire exceeds 85 per cent of enlisted strength present.

(d) No collective firing.

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Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.		
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.					
												Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.				Volley fire.	Fire at will.
10th Infantry.	12	93.3			9	40	142	235	246	43.7	738	624	53.3	65.6	62.4	39.0	40.1	46.4	32.6	40.3	41.6	51.6	40.4	45.1	—	31
	M	96.9	1		8	14	17	22		48.4	62	63	55.3	71.7	53	42.1	44.7	53	34.6	34.7	44.0	52.3	48.4	4	150	
	T	91.1	8		7	14	20	23		48.4	59	60	62.7	69.3	50	46.0	46.3	60	34.7	34.7	48.6	49.8	53.7	1	99	
	M	95.3	1		6	16	20	21		46.9	62	63	50.3	62.3	53	37.1	48.5	63	46.6	36.5	44.6	46.8	43.9	6	206	
	H	96.8	3		18	22	17		42.1	61	62	49.4	76.0	39.1	64.9	39.1	64.9	62	22.4	43.4	37.0	74.6	62.4	2	115	
	A	93.6	2		10	24	23		40.3	63	63	45.9	56.0	53	38.0	61.6	53.8	37.0	46.5	36.5	43.6	43.9	8	145		
	M	93.9	1		13	27	19		46.2	60	61	61.4	62.1	42.5	43.1	43.6	52.6	62	26.3	38.3	43.2	47.5	48.9	3	909	
	C	93.9	6		7	12	36	36		36.0	64	64	61.9	61.7	54	41.4	48.8	64	32.1	30.2	41.8	46.9	40.1	11	249	
	B	95.4	5		13	23	37	37		32.1	61	62	62.7	80.4	53	32.7	19.2	62	34.6	25.6	41.5	34.0	37.2	10	239	
	D	92.1	6		7	10	34	36		32.1	62	62	67.0	61.7	52	32.7	19.2	62	34.6	25.6	41.5	34.0	37.2	9	224	
	Y	90.6	90.6		9	8	14	36		37.5	39	62	60.3	62.6	62.9	42.9	44.2	62	30.8	35.3	44.7	44.0	43.8	40.7	8	253

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TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.					
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.								
Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.											Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire.		Fire at will.	Collective figure of merit.			
15th Infantry.	F., S., and band.																												
	A	92.1	3	9	13	21	12	3	—	86.4	19	51	36.3	73.2	69.6	15	37.3	62.3	51	20.3	38.9	30.9	30.9	59.1	42.3	95.9	3	31	
	B	91.4	—	10	15	19	9	—	—	91.9	53	45	64.8	69.6	45	44.4	53.3	45	26.7	53.3	42.0	58.7	50.3	71.1	1	15			
	C	96.8	—	9	10	33	7	2	—	85.2	61	51	66.2	52.3	51	39.2	48.4	51	44.4	47.7	46.6	49.5	47.8	66.3	2	28			
	D	96.8	2	6	17	24	10	2	—	87.2	60	51	39.9	67.3	51	54.9	65.1	51	25.5	50.3	40.1	44.2	42.2	64.7	4	36			
	E	88.7	1	3	10	12	12	21	6	37.9	43	36	42.6	42.6	36	40.7	63.9	36	36.1	44.4	39.8	50.3	44.4	41.3	12	227			
	F	82.8	1	3	6	15	14	14	1	60.7	52	44	32.6	40.9	44	37.9	43.2	44	27.3	35.6	32.6	39.9	36.1	48.4	10	163			
	G	71.4	4	3	13	11	19	1	1	51.3	53	45	55.6	45.2	45	34.1	41.5	45	34.1	41.3	44.5	42.8	47.1	11	166				
	H	86.5	—	4	4	13	20	5	4	60.5	47	39	47.0	39.3	39	34.5	63.2	39	26.2	37.9	46.1	41.0	50.9	9	130				
	I	94.5	1	9	1	14	23	16	—	82.6	61	52	39.7	60.3	52	34.0	59.5	52	36.6	51.9	36.7	47.2	64.9	8	93				
	K	91.5	—	11	7	15	17	15	—	86.8	61	52	51.3	48.7	53	33.3	64.5	52	32.7	30.1	51.9	46.7	57.3	6	72				
	L	100.0	1	6	4	13	13	20	—	94.3	66	47	53.2	69.5	47	38.0	83.0	47	43.3	56.0	46.2	69.5	57.5	5	64				
	M	96.5	—	11	2	15	21	19	—	91.9	65	50	36.8	73.3	63	36.3	77.0	65	33.9	56.8	34.3	68.7	51.3	6	82				
	Total	91.1	8	95	92	396	100	136	11	66.0	673	598	45.5	47.8	598	38.6	57.1	598	32.5	45.3	45.3	63.4	46.9	51.4	3	—			

TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.		
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	600 yards.			800 yards.			1,000 yards.			Average per cent at all ranges.					
												Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.				Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Volley fire.	Fire at will.
1st Infantry.	M	92.8	11	83	87	170	204	174	10	65.0	748	622	64.5	62.1	622	34.7	43.1	622	21.9	26.2	35.7	43.8	38.9	52.0	10	245
	N	92.3	3	1	3	9	25	11	60	3	54	34.6	55.6	54	31.5	35.2	54	25.9	25.6	30.7	38.9	34.0	7	164		
	O	92.3	3	1	3	8	2	71.1	65	53	35.8	38.4	53	40.9	37.0	53	20.1	13.7	32.3	35.4	32.6	6	120			
	P	92.3	3	1	3	5	15	20	1	55.4	62	53	34.6	56.6	53	25.2	35.2	53	18.2	15.7	26.0	35.8	31.1	9	211	
	Q	91.0	1	10	5	18	12	6	2	48.3	62	54	32.4	69.1	54	29.6	33.3	54	14.2	16.0	35.4	39.5	37.8	4	40	
	R	90.4	1	14	18	13	13	1	1	63.8	64	54	38.5	85.2	54	33.3	35.2	54	8.0	22.8	36.6	34.7	45.4	69.6	2	20
	S	90.0	1	15	25	17	11	3	1	45.6	66	54	54.9	77.2	54	40.7	42.0	54	19.1	23.5	39.2	47.6	43.6	56.1	3	38
	T	92.8	3	19	14	13	9	6	4	59.0	66	56	61.3	75.8	56	33.3	39.9	56	17.9	23.2	37.5	45.9	41.6	56.1	3	28
	U	90.5	2	3	16	20	14	1	4	52.2	55	54	59.3	71.0	54	36.8	34.9	54	48.1	58.0	37.5	45.9	41.6	56.1	3	17
	V	90.0	3	1	2	24	26	3	1	40.2	63	49	46.9	61.2	49	36.1	45.6	49	34.7	45.6	36.9	54.7	47.3	43.8	8	205

F., S., and band.	24th Infantry.												Total.													
	94.4	1	5	6	10	7	72.6	36	30	63.3	70.0	30		42.2	57.8	30	44.4	17.8	50.0	48.5	48.3	60.5	---			
A	95.6	1	4	2	20	24	14	59.1	64	48.1	68.5	54	30.5	48.1	54	31.5	22.8	39.7	46.5	42.8	51.0	8	128			
B	100.0	1	3	2	21	24	10	54.1	65	48.5	67.3	55	35.2	44.2	54	27.3	37.0	37.0	37.0	38.1	46.1	10	180			
C	97.1	2	5	14	27	18	---	61.3	66	46.8	61.8	56	38.4	36.9	56	19.6	33.9	34.1	40.9	37.5	44.4	12	108			
D	95.6	2	1	7	17	20	18	57.0	66	46.8	61.8	56	38.4	36.9	56	19.6	33.9	34.1	40.9	37.5	44.4	9	151			
E	98.9	1	2	5	14	27	18	64.6	68	64	51.9	50.6	54	38.3	51.9	54	27.8	43.8	39.3	48.8	44.4	54.5	7	97		
F	100.0	4	8	19	20	14	9	90.1	85	64	68.5	74.7	54	54.9	82.1	54	38.9	59.3	54.1	72.0	61.7	75.9	1	9		
G	91.3	3	11	17	16	13	68	69.1	64	58	67.3	75.6	54	58.3	67.1	54	40.1	44.4	52.4	58.0	54.9	62.0	3	45		
H	100.0	4	11	16	13	18	---	78.9	66	58	67.3	75.6	54	58.3	67.1	54	40.1	44.4	52.4	58.0	54.9	62.0	3	45		
I	98.5	---	4	6	15	23	19	54.7	65	55	54.8	60.1	55	27.9	30.9	54	18.8	29.7	35.2	33.5	34.2	44.6	11	196		
J	101.5	---	4	10	10	27	13	59.8	64	54	71.0	40.1	54	48.8	67.9	54	35.8	59.9	51.9	63.0	57.0	58.4	5	64		
K	97.0	5	6	12	16	18	15	63.6	65	55	43.0	55.8	55	40.6	65.5	56	32.1	49.7	38.6	57.0	47.6	55.6	6	87		
L	101.5	---	5	12	18	18	15	63.6	65	55	43.0	55.8	55	40.6	65.5	56	32.1	49.7	38.6	57.0	47.6	55.6	6	87		
M	98.4	---	5	13	20	12	13	67.9	60	51	51.6	57.5	51	58.2	54.9	51	45.1	47.7	51.0	53.4	52.2	60.1	4	51		
12 (a)	95.9	13	56	120	206	248	171	64.5	809	684	54.4	58.8	684	43.6	54.5	684	32.7	40.9	43.6	51.4	47.2	65.9	6	6		
25th Infantry.	A	97.0	4	6	1	17	23	14	---	63	54	41.4	48.1	54	43.2	61.7	54	32.7	59.5	39.1	54.1	47.0	57.1	4	75	
	B	90.0	1	2	6	16	24	13	---	62	52	57.7	63.3	52	44.9	47.4	52	42.3	59.0	48.1	54.9	56.7	5	79		
	C	89.4	2	5	2	19	24	16	---	60.8	50	50	50	50	46.7	52.0	50	41.3	40.0	39.6	53.3	46.3	53.6	7	100	
	D	91.5	2	5	10	20	24	19	---	60.2	55	55	58.9	55	43.6	46.7	55	31.2	26.5	41.2	46.9	43.9	53.1	9	117	
	E	97.5	2	5	11	18	17	17	---	66.4	64	53.7	65.6	54	37.7	57.4	54	30.9	32.1	40.6	49.4	44.6	55.5	6	88	
	F	92.8	1	2	4	14	12	17	17	---	64	54	52.7	73.5	54	44.4	64.8	54	21.0	45.1	32.7	61.1	47.1	53.5	10	197
	G	95.4	2	4	10	11	13	23	1	57.8	64	46.9	63.4	54	32.1	55.6	54	29.0	51.2	36.0	57.4	47.1	53.5	18	114	
	H	97.0	---	3	15	13	17	16	---	54.1	65	62	62.6	51.9	52	49.9	46.7	55	30.3	47.3	44.5	43.2	50.7	11	132	
	I	97.0	---	2	4	19	20	26	2	51.2	61	55	50.9	54.5	55	40.0	46.7	55	30.3	36.3	44.8	39.9	45.6	12	132	
	J	97.0	---	2	4	23	23	7	---	63.8	65	55	64.3	64.2	55	40.0	46.7	55	30.3	44.2	54.3	50.6	57.2	3	75	
	K	91.7	2	1	4	19	20	14	---	57.8	61	52	60.3	60.2	52	50.0	62.2	52	47.4	53.6	65.2	59.1	58.5	2	62	
	L	91.7	2	1	4	19	20	14	---	57.8	61	52	60.3	60.2	52	50.0	62.2	52	47.4	53.6	65.2	59.1	58.5	2	62	
	M	98.3	5	8	7	25	17	---	60.8	62	53	73.2	79.2	53	43.4	78.6	53	45.9	81.1	54.5	79.6	67.5	78.5	1	4	
12	93.0	19	40	92	212	341	171	8	62.1	754	640	50.3	66.0	640	42.3	56.7	640	33.8	46.1	42.1	56.3	49.2	55.7	7	7	
Total.																										

(a) Field, staff, and band erroneously included in collective firing in report submitted by Northern Division, but could not be eliminated in compiling this table because of lack of data.

(b) Number firing in collective fire exceeds 86 per cent of enlisted strength present.

TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	Individual rifle or carbine firing.												Collective rifle or carbine firing.												General figure of merit.	General figure of merit.	(Order in regiment.)	(Order in Army.)		
	Individual rifle or carbine firing.												Collective rifle or carbine firing.																	
	Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert riflemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	Enlisted strength present.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Average per cent at all ranges.	(Collective figure of merit.						
M	95	5	5	16	19	20	3	2	83.3	63	54	60.5	130.2	54	52.5	100.0	54	30.9	50.0	48.0	93.4	71.3	77.3	1	5					
L	91.0	3	3	10	26	19			81.2	64	54	75.3	54.9	54	56.2	61.1	54	25.3	34.0	68.1	51.5	52.3	50.0	52.3	50.0	60.8	2	30		
K	96.3	5	6	3	12	16	19		67.1	66	46	58.0	73.9	54	38.4	75.4	46	38.0	68.1	51.5	52.3	50.0	52.3	50.0	60.8	3	57			
J	92.5	3	2	3	17	22	15	4	56.7	64	54	39.9	84.0	54	54.3	55.6	54	46.9	49.4	53.7	53	33.3	34.0	44.4	37.1	41.0	57.3	4	71	
I	96.8	3	3		8	13	35	1	42.0	63	53	61.6	37.7	53	39.4	39.6	53	33.3	34.0	44.4	53	33.3	34.0	44.4	37.1	41.0	41.5	10	234	
H	86.1	1			11	13	31		35.4	63	51	37.3	62.1	51	37.3	43.8	51	38.6	36.6	37.7	47.5	40.6	38.0	12	267					
G	90.1	1		6	4	19	30	4	42.6	66	56	46.4	96.9	56	35.7	49.4	56	30.8	61.9	34.3	56	30.8	61.9	34.3	66.1	60.1	46.4	7	174	
F	94.4	2	5		9	11	25	2	48.6	62	44	51.6	84.7	44	38.6	34.8	44	22.7	22.7	22.7	37.6	36.5	34.0	41.3	11	226				
E	100.0	1	1	13	34	21			46.2	65	55	67.3	72.1	55	69.7	71.5	55	23.6	60.6	33.0	55	23.6	60.6	33.0	68.1	60.6	63.4	6	104	
D	96.1	3	7	2	6	9	30	7	47.2	62	55	42.3	73.1	52	21.8	55.1	52	28.8	35.9	51.0	52	28.8	35.9	51.0	54.7	42.3	44.8	8	199	
C	100.0	1		3	11	13	39	1	34.8	65	55	60.6	82.4	55	32.7	63.6	55	37.6	29.7	43.6	55	37.6	29.7	43.6	56.6	51.0	42.9	9	214	
B	97.0	1		9	7	10	38	3	36.1	65	55	61.8	83.0	55	49.7	76.4	55	29.1	46.7	46.9	46.9	46.9	46.9	46.9	46.9	57.6	46.9	6	167	
A	93.7	27	38	62	139	109	206	24	51.7	757	629	57.1	73.7	629	44.0	60.9	629	32.8	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.6	50.6	51.0	51.4		12
Total																														

TABLE III.—Classification and figure of merit of troops and companies of the United States Army for 1904—Continued.

Regiment.	Company (or troop).	Individual rifle or carbine firing.										Collective rifle or carbine firing.										General figure of merit.	Order in regiment.	Order in Army.						
		Per cent of average strength qualified.	Expert rifemen.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First-class men.	Second-class men.	Third-class men.	Present, not firing.	Individual figure of merit.	600 yards.					800 yards.					1,000 yards.					Average per cent at all ranges.	Collective figure of merit.			
											Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.	Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.				Fire at will, per cent of possible score.			Number firing.	Volley fire, per cent of possible score.	Fire at will, per cent of possible score.
29th Infantry.	A	29.4	—	1	3	9	9	—	33	23.4	49	13	107.7	69.2	13	79.5	106.1	13	61.9	49.2	82.9	73.5	24.9	24.2	10	351				
	B	40.0	—	2	3	6	4	9	31	24.2	47	20	36.7	61.7	20	39.3	43.3	20	26.7	36.3	86.9	44.4	20.9	22.6	11	357				
	C	31.1	1	2	4	2	6	3	33	38.1	47	13	69.2	97.4	13	46.2	56.4	13	69.2	51.3	61.5	68.4	21.2	19.7	12	362				
	D	47.7	1	2	4	5	6	3	33	29.7	43	18	55.6	69.3	18	40.3	75.9	18	44.4	48.1	48.8	61.1	27.1	26.4	9	337				
	E	72.9	—	3	4	3	12	13	—	51.6	31	26	42.3	60.3	26	41.0	46.2	26	37.2	43.6	40.2	50.0	44.6	46.1	2	166				
	F	72.9	—	3	2	3	14	25	2	29.9	46	39	62.4	68.4	39	46.2	51.3	39	41.0	43.6	49.9	54.4	62.0	41.0	5	231				
	G	72.9	—	2	1	6	10	22	—	36.3	34	29	48.3	54.0	29	47.1	47.1	29	32.2	49.4	42.5	50.2	46.6	42.5	4	216				
	H	78.3	—	2	1	6	13	17	—	27.6	42	35	51.4	46.7	35	43.8	38.1	35	21.9	32.4	39.0	39.1	38.3	33.0	7	307				
	I	61.2	—	2	1	3	8	12	—	38.3	19	16	110.4	72.9	16	64.7	22.9	16	43.8	43.8	73.6	46.5	59.6	49.0	1	143				
	J	80.0	—	2	1	3	13	10	2	42.5	30	24	66.6	44.4	24	31.9	26.4	24	25.0	23.6	37.5	31.5	32.5	37.5	6	171				
K	76.3	—	1	1	6	11	13	44	17.4	39	24	44.4	50.0	24	31.9	43.1	24	41.7	40.3	39.3	44.5	40.8	26.1	8	333					
L	92.9	—	3	—	8	10	1	1	49.1	24	20	35.0	56.7	20	55.0	51.7	20	30.0	16.7	40.0	41.7	40.1	44.6	3	163					
Total.	12	63.5	2	17	21	52	107	136	149	29.9	440	477	57.9	58.7	377	45.5	48.0	377	30.8	30.2	40.7	46.0	35.4	32.7	—	295				

30th Infantry.															
A	84.6	---	2	5	14	34	26.4	56	48	44.4	31.3	48	30.6	36.8	48
B	98.4	---	1	9	25	28	36.6	61	52	34.6	37.8	52	34.6	38.1	52
C	92.0	---	2	5	13	47	23.0	61	51	34.6	39.2	51	33.3	41.2	51
D	98.4	2	2	4	12	39	46.1	58	48	34.7	32.0	49	34.5	23.8	48
E	98.4	1	2	4	13	26	38.5	57	53	45.3	62.5	48	33.3	30.2	53
F	98.0	---	1	2	2	14	31.7	59	43	46.9	57.9	53	30.3	30.2	53
G	98.0	---	3	4	3	16	34.4	60	51	40.4	64.1	51	38.1	38.9	51
H	98.7	---	3	4	3	13	37.4	59	47	34.6	32.9	47	38.1	38.9	47
I	89.8	---	1	2	2	16	27.2	53	47	38.3	36.2	47	38.1	38.9	47
J	81.7	---	2	3	11	34	27.7	62	52	38.3	38.2	52	38.3	31.4	52
K	98.9	---	2	3	11	47	27.9	62	52	31.4	38.2	52	38.3	31.4	52
L	98.6	---	4	6	8	39	23.8	56	48	31.9	37.5	48	27.1	22.2	48
M	98.6	---	4	6	8	39	23.8	56	48	31.9	37.5	48	27.1	22.2	48
Total.	12	91.5	3	7	29	57	166	443	10	30.1	707	602	39.3	41.6	602
Porto Rico Prov. Infantry. (b)															
A	95.5	---	3	1	9	19	38.5	64	55	51.5	58.4	55	44.2	52.1	55
B	92.8	---	6	1	8	11	37	65	55	36.4	68.6	55	45.6	40.3	55
C	95.5	---	2	2	12	23	43.2	63	55	40.0	62.1	55	38.2	40.3	55
D	96.9	1	3	2	15	20	23	63	55	38.8	67.9	55	34.8	32.7	55
E	98.5	---	3	3	5	59	16.8	63	55	35.2	44.8	55	16.4	35.8	55
F	98.5	---	2	4	25	36	33.0	65	55	44.8	49.7	55	32.1	34.3	55
G	96.5	---	2	2	16	45	25.4	65	55	62.7	52.1	55	42.4	40.3	55
H	98.5	1	2	4	18	41	31.5	63	53	52.8	73.6	53	43.4	49.3	53
Total	8	96.4	2	19	9	54	137	300	9	34.1	518	438	46.5	56.8	438

(a) Number firing in collective fire exceeds 85 per cent of enlisted strength present.

(b) Small-arms practice held under 1903 regulations.

TABLE IV.—List of expert riflemen, United States Army, for 1904.

Order.	Name.	Rank.	Company or troop.	Regiment.	Department.	Slow fire.	Timed fire.	Skirmish fire.	Score.	Aggre- gate.	Per cent of pos- sible.
1	Gilbert M. Allen	1st lieutenant		19th Inf.	Columbia.	100	64	96	260		96.67
2	Frederick G. Lawton	Captain		19th Inf.	Columbia.	104	60	95	259		96.33
3	George Sayer	1st sergt.	A	15th Inf.	California	101	67	91	259		96.33
4	Charles E. Reese	1st lieutenant		15th Inf.	California	92	65	94	251		93.67
5	John F. Clapham	2d lieutenant		15th Inf.	California	110	70	70	250		93.33
6	Richard Lunsford	Q. M. sergt.	H	2d Inf.	Colorado	101	60	88	249		93.00
7	Allen M. Graham	2d lieutenant		1st Cav.	Texas	86	65	95	246		92.00
8	Spencer H. Thomas	Q. M. sergt.	H	9th Cav.	Columbia	93	69	91	243		91.00
9	Leonard J. Mygatt	1st lieutenant		19th Inf.	Columbia	102	58	83	243		91.00
10	Henry C. Bush	Corporal	M	19th Inf.	Columbia	100	63	80	243		91.00
11	Linwood E. Hanson	1st lieutenant		26th Inf.	Texas	111	62	70	243		91.00
12	Louis H. Aprian	Q. M. sergt.	M	21st Inf.	Dakota	93	63	85	241		90.33
13	Carl Schmidt	Private	A	1st Cav.	Texas	98	65	77	240		90.00
14	Oscar Fox	Sergeant	M	25th Inf.	Missouri	97	62	80	239		89.67
15	Ralph H. Howard	Private	M	1st Cav.	Texas	87	59	92	238		89.33
16	Charles W. Kincaid	Private	B	19th Inf.	Columbia	106	58	74	238		89.33
17	Rufus H. Southern	Corporal	M	6th Inf.	Columbia	88	56	93	237		89.00
18	Albert G. Osborn	1st lieutenant	E	26th Inf.	Texas	87	62	84	237		89.00
19	George S. Yates	1st sergt.	M	3d Inf.	Columbia	93	60	84	237		89.00
20	Earl M. Gophart	Private	F	26th Inf.	Texas	94	65	78	237		89.00
21	Edward M. Gross	Private	B	21st Inf.	Dakota	94	65	77	236		88.67
22	Hanson E. Ely	Captain		26th Inf.	Texas	102	59	74	235		88.33
23	Charles M. Snell	Ord. sergt.		U. S. A.	East	93	50	91	234		88.00
24	William A. Cornell	10th Cav.		10th Cav.	Missouri	79	57	97	233		87.67
25	George Barner	Corporal	F	24th Inf.	Dakota	78	61	94	233		87.67
26	William E. Vose	1st lieutenant		Mei. Dept.	Texas	101	60	73	233		87.67
27	Joseph H. Williams	Corporal	E	1st Cav.	Texas	100	60	73	233		87.67
28	John C. Fogrant	2d lieutenant		1st Cav.	Texas	76	61	95	232		87.33

29	William Brown	Sergeant	L	10th Cav	Missouri	194	232	77.33
30	George Stedman	Private	C	26th Inf	Texas	96	231	77.00
31	Edward Ellsworth	Private	E	26th Inf	Texas	78	231	77.00
32	William Riley	Sergeant	B	1st Cav	Texas	93	230	76.67
33	Henry C. Whitehead	Captain		10th Cav	Missouri	88	230	76.67
34	Frederick W. Benteen	1st lieutenant		26th Inf	Texas	95	230	76.67
35	Albert C. Bellamy	Corporal	A	1st Inf	Lakes	74	230	76.67
36	Howard R. Hickok	Captain		15th Cav	East	64	229	76.33
37	Robert M. Barton	1st lieutenant		5th Cav	Colorado	96	228	76.00
38	Bonald G. Baird	Artillery	H	26th Inf	Texas	76	228	76.00
39	Donald E. Barker	Q. M. sergt	D	3d Cav	Dakota	73	228	76.00
40	Roy W. Heard	Corporal	K	8th Inf	East	81	227	75.67
41	Charles L. Bent	Captain		20th Inf	Texas	88	227	75.67
42	George M. Clevenger	Sergeant	H	21st Inf	Dakota	104	227	75.67
43	Steve Zilka	Q. M. sergt	B	1st Inf	Lakes	66	227	75.67
44	John M. Bascy	1st sergt	E	1st Inf	Texas	64	227	75.67
45	Hugh M. Kelly	2d lieutenant		26th Inf	Texas	90	226	75.33
46	Reginald E. McNally	1st lieutenant		3d Cav	Dakota	82	225	75.00
47	Joseph Eckert	Private	M	1st Inf	East	75	225	75.00
48	Bernard Fager	1st sergt	B	1st Cav	Texas	90	224	74.67
49	Daniel L. Hood	Sergeant	F	30th Inf	Texas	86	224	74.67
50	John McDonald	1st sergt	L	8th Inf	East	81	224	74.67
51	John F. Preston	Captain		26th Inf	Texas	87	223	74.33
52	Charles Carver	Sergeant	E	24th Inf	Dakota	84	223	74.33
53	William M. Parker	1st lieutenant		11th Inf	Missouri	81	222	74.00
54	Peter Howley	Corporal	M	19th Inf	Columbia	93	222	74.00
55	Louis Broyer	Q. M. sergt	D	19th Inf	Columbia	88	221	73.67
56	Edgar T. Conley	Captain	C	8th Inf	East	85	221	73.67
57	Clyde Blakley	Private		26th Inf	Texas	81	221	73.67
58	Frank D. Powell	Corporal	B	1st Inf	Lakes	81	221	73.67
59	Frank C. Wood	1st lieutenant		P. R. P. R	East	78	221	73.67
60	James J. Mayes	1st sergt		24th Inf	Dakota	77	221	73.67
61	John Long	1st lieutenant	D	26th Inf	Texas	92	221	73.67
62	James P. Barny	2d lieutenant		4th Cav	Missouri	88	221	73.67
63	Ernest Ross	Private	B	21st Inf	Dakota	67	221	73.67
64	Thomas J. Schmidt	2d lieutenant		26th Inf	Texas	99	221	73.67
65	William J. Dickson	Chaplain	K	3d Cav	Texas	83	220	73.33
66	Henry Schlegel	Q. M. sergt	G	24th Inf	Dakota	84	220	73.33
67	Peter Jackson	Sergeant		3d Cav	Dakota	78	219	73.00
68	Benjamin E. Stratton	Sergeant	I	3d Cav	Dakota	90	219	73.00

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Order.	Name.	Rank.	Company or troop.	Regiment.	Department.	Score.			
						Slow fire.	Timed fire.	Skirmish fire.	Aggregate.
69	Charles E. Lane	Corporal	A	6th Cav.	Missouri	85	52	82	219
70	Ervin R. Heiberg	Captain		6th Cav.	Missouri	94	46	79	219
71	Robert S. Knox	1st lieutenant		24th Inf.	Dakota	85	47	86	218
72	Robert P. Trent	Sergeant	A	26th Inf.	Texas	92	53	73	218
73	Ned M. Green	1st lieutenant		25th Inf.	Missouri	97	57	64	218
74	Jake J. Cooper	Private	G	13th Inf.	California	63	65	99	217
75	Clarence Roberts	Q. M. sergt.	F	5th Inf.	East.	72	46	94	217
76	Moses Barner	Private	E	25th Inf.	Texas	76	47	94	217
77	Percy Bartlett	Private	H	1st Inf.	Lakes	77	48	92	217
78	Henry C. Bell	Trumpeter	A	25th Inf.	Missouri	84	44	89	217
79	Robert Johnson	1st sergeant	K	10th Cav.	Missouri	78	51	88	217
80	Eu B. Myers	1st lieutenant		5th Cav.	Colorado	87	61	69	217
81	Charles Eie	Private	B	2d Inf.	Colorado	96	56	65	217
82	Clarence H. Farnham	2d lieutenant		29th Inf.	Texas	94	53	95	216
83	David E. French	Musician	C	2d Inf.	Colorado	74	51	91	216
84	John W. Smith	Private	H	28th Inf.	Texas	86	52	78	216
85	John McQuay	Q. M. sergt.	H	9th Inf.	East.	88	53	75	216
86	William McGown	Private	A	1st Cav.	Texas	92	53	71	216
87	Alfred A. Hickox	2d lieutenant	K	15th Inf.	California	99	57	90	216
88	Robert N. Holland	1st sergeant		8th Inf.	East.	94	42	79	215
89	Christian Briland	1st lieutenant		15th Cav.	East.	93	46	74	215
90	Harry Ward	Corporal	H	21st Inf.	Dakota	92	52	71	215
91	Martin Amundson	Private	B	5th Inf.	East.	74	47	99	214
92	Hugh R. Walker	Corporal	A	29th Inf.	Dakota	96	53	85	214
93	Moses Watson	Sergeant	A	26th Inf.	Texas	90	61	75	214
94	William Greene	Musician	A	26th Inf.	Texas	90	60	75	214
95	William Walker	1st sergeant	C	4th Cav.	Missouri	95	51	69	214

97	Thomas E. Noyes	Corporal	A	1st Cav.	00	57	67	214	71.33
98	Charles F. Bates	Captain		25th Inf	74	47	92	213	71.00
99	Edward Hayes	Corporal	C	26th Inf	76	45	91	213	71.00
100	Elery Farmer	2d lieutenant		26th Inf	77	45	91	213	71.00
101	Alexander J. Leve	Private	L	26th Inf	89	40	82	213	71.00
102	Wesley B. Henale	Musician	I	1st Inf	89	45	79	213	71.00
103	Lemuel P. Betty	1st sergt.	H	11th Inf	92	46	75	213	71.00
104	James D. Fitzgerald	1st sergt.	D	2d Inf	83	58	72	213	71.00
105	John Erickson	Private	A	15th Inf	92	59	62	213	71.00
106	John Erickson	Musician	E	25th Inf	74	45	93	212	70.67
107	Nice White	Sergeant	C	26th Inf	73	51	88	212	70.67
108	William Hall	Corporal	E	11th Inf	68	59	75	212	70.67
109	James H. Eady	Sergeant	E	26th Inf	78	59	75	212	70.67
110	Ora Melville	Sergeant	G	2d Batt. Engrs	85	53	74	212	70.67
111	Arthur B. Foster	Captain		19th Inf	91	47	74	212	70.67
112	Antonius Stephen	Corporal	A	15th Inf	86	53	73	212	70.67
113	William H. Barton	Private	K	11th Inf	66	76	70	212	70.67
114	Fred R. Brown	1st lieutenant		9th Inf	93	55	64	212	70.67
115	Bert E. Cooper	Private	B	26th Inf	101	58	53	212	70.67
116	Henry Birge	Private	D	24th Inf	81	36	94	211	70.33
117	James G. Taylor	Private		18th Inf	72	48	88	211	70.33
118	Mark L. Jacobs	1st sergt.	H	13th Inf	69	54	86	211	70.33
119	Frank Arthur	Corporal	D	3d Cav	72	53	85	211	70.33
120	George Kothermel	Corporal	G	25th Inf	84	42	81	211	70.33
121	William Ryan	Private	K	5th Inf	78	52	81	211	70.33
122	Paul W. Beck	1st lieutenant		10th Cav	82	57	72	211	70.33
123	John C. Pendergrass	Color sergt.		26th Inf	88	52	71	211	70.33
124	Jesse H. Lynch	Musician	A	1st Cav	86	57	66	211	70.33
125	William A. Cantrell	Corporal	B	5th Inf	89	54	68	211	70.33
126	William A. Cantrell	Sergeant	C	2d Inf	70	50	90	210	70.00
127	Charles W. Barber	1st lieutenant		25th Inf	74	52	84	210	70.00
128	Joseph D. Leitch	Captain		3d Cav	75	55	80	210	70.00
129	Frank A. Barton	Captain		2d Inf	87	50	73	210	70.00
130	Price Humshell	Sergeant	I	19th Inf	87	51	72	210	70.00
131	Sherwood A. Cheney(a)	L. corporal	M	Engrs	89	52	69	210	70.00
132	Charles H. Hamilton	Captain		P. R. P. R.	72	70	68	210	70.00
133	Robert J. Fleming	Captain		10th Cav	86	56	68	210	70.00
134	Arthur T. Brown	1st sergt.		19th Inf	89	53	68	210	70.00
135	Emery T. Smith	2d lieutenant	E	9th Inf	94	50	66	210	70.00
136					91	58	61	210	70.00

(a) Aid-de-camp to the commanding general, Northern Division.

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Order.	Name.	Rank.	Company or troop.	Regiment.	Department.	Score.				Aggre- gate.	Per cent of pos- sible.
						Slow fire.	Timed fire.	Skirmish fire.			
137	Victor Morgenthau (a)	Corporal		Engrs		75	47	87	209	68.67	
138	Salah R. H. Tompkins	Captain		7th Cav.	Gulf	90	53	66	209	68.67	
139	Austin F. Prescott	Captain		21st Inf.	Dakota	95	67	47	209	68.67	
140	William Stimpert	Corporal	B	3d Cav.	Dakota	79	42	87	208	69.33	
141	Patrick H. Mulloy	Corporal		27th Inf.	Lakes	77	49	82	208	69.33	
142	John McGuire	Sergeant	A	1st Cav.	Texas	80	48	80	208	69.33	
143	Charles Morgan	Private	K	10th Cav.	Missouri	80	49	79	208	69.33	
144	Edwin J. Breen	1st lieut.		8th Inf.	East	79	54	75	208	69.33	
145	Frank W. Howell	1st lieut.		11th Inf.	Missouri	82	54	72	208	69.33	
146	Edmond W. Welch	Q. M. sergt.	L	25th Inf.	Missouri	89	55	64	208	69.33	
147	Hill Cornell	Sergeant	G	21st Inf.	Missouri	97	55	56	208	69.33	
148	Arthur C. Fountain	Musician	F	11th Inf.	Dakota	98	58	52	208	69.33	
149	Ernest F. Fudge	Q. M. sergt.	M	3d Cav.	Dakota	82	37	88	207	69.00	
150	John W. Hodgson	Captain		24th Inf.	Missouri	77	47	83	207	69.00	
151	Harry C. Benson	Corporal	F	1st Inf.	Lakes	84	45	78	207	69.00	
152	Oscar Q. Brown	Captain		20th Inf.	Texas	90	39	78	207	69.00	
153	Joseph F. Janda	Private	I	25th Inf.	Missouri	85	48	74	207	69.00	
154	James King	Private	C	20th Inf.	Texas	92	41	74	207	69.00	
155	Joseph P. O'Neill	Q. M. sergt.	F	9th Inf.	East	79	57	71	207	69.00	
156	Charles H. Aord	Sergeant	H	1st Cav.	Texas	85	53	69	207	69.00	
157	Charles C. Leach	Private	M	25th Inf.	Texas	84	57	66	207	69.00	
158	William N. Puckett	Private	A	25th Inf.	Missouri	80	52	66	207	69.00	
159	Michael Sullivan	Private	M	11th Inf.	Texas	81	53	65	207	69.00	
160	Michael Harper	Private	A	25th Inf.	Missouri	93	53	61	207	69.00	
161	Adolph Nelson	Private	K	10th Cav.	East	87	49	60	207	69.00	
162	Acay Jordan	Q. M. sergt.	M	11th Inf.	Missouri	97	55	60	207	69.00	
163	Rosa L. Bush	Q. M. sergt.	K	10th Cav.	East	102	56	62	207	69.00	
164	George T. Williams	Q. M. sergt.	M	11th Inf.	Dakota	101	48	62	207	69.00	
165	Thomas T. Green	Q. M. sergt.	A	11th Inf.	Dakota	101	48	62	207	69.00	
166	Ray C. Woodruff	Q. M. sergt.		11th Inf.	Dakota	101	48	62	207	69.00	

167	Elmer L. Sharp.	Infant, sergent, musk.	25th Inf	61	74	296	184 07
168	John P. Laney.	Sergeant	6th Inf	75	46	296	184 07
169	Noble Oman	Sergeant	25th Inf	79	42	296	184 07
170	William Rice	Sergeant	25th Inf	76	48	296	184 07
171	Albert C. Webb	Musician	2d Inf.	71	54	296	184 07
172	Friedrick G. Wagner.	Sergeant	1st Inf	81	45	293	184 07
173	Frank P. Bogie	Private	9th Inf	80	58	298	184 07
174	Burdell Plummer	Private	25th Inf	80	50	296	184 07
175	Ernest F. Severn	Q. M. sergt	24th Inf	79	57	296	184 07
176	Lewis Broadus	Sergeant	25th Inf	85	65	296	184 07
177	Isaac White	Q. M. sergt	25th Inf	88	53	296	184 07
178	Joseph C. Smith	Private	25th Inf	97	47	296	184 07
179	Herman D. Kribbe	Private	2d Inf.	90	55	296	184 07
180	James Sutshell	Q. M. sergt	24th Inf	87	59	298	184 07
181	George D. Neal	Private	6th Cav	96	54	296	184 07
182	Frank Holden	Q. M. sergt	4th Cav	99	58	296	184 07
183	William S. McCanta.	Q. M. sergt	24th Inf	82	41	295	184 33
184	Oscar Puzan	Private	1st Inf	76	51	295	184 33
185	Samuel Clay	Sergeant	15th Inf	73	56	295	184 33
186	John L. Shallow	Corporal	1st Inf	75	54	295	184 33
187	Charles Mille	Private	3d Cav	78	54	295	184 33
188	Tollert Parks	Private	25th Inf	85	60	295	184 33
189	Hessell Tynes	Captain	1st Inf	88	48	295	184 33
190	William C. Smith	Musician	19th Inf	91	52	295	184 33
191	George B. Pritchard, Jr.	1st lieutenant	5th Cav	92	50	295	184 33
192	Levi Ewerster	Sergeant	24th Inf	88	57	295	184 33
193	Abraham Hill	Corporal	19th Inf	90	56	295	184 33
194	William Driscoll	Sergeant	21st Inf	93	54	295	184 33
195	Preston Ayers	Sergeant	9th Inf	92	57	295	184 33
196	Thomas Q. Donahoon, Jr.	Captain	8th Cav	97	53	295	184 33
197	Eliza A. McCarty	Corporal	21st Inf	90	66	295	184 33
198	Leola H. Tuillee	Sergeant	8th Cav	73	53	294	184 00
199	Milton H. Tuillee	Sergeant	6th Inf	78	48	294	184 00
200	John A. Pearson	Cook	11th Cav	76	51	294	184 00
201	James F. Nagle	Private	1st Cav	77	50	291	184 00
202	Watts Ericson	Musician	24th Inf	91	36	294	184 00
203	Doyle G. Conkle	Private	25th Inf	82	48	294	184 00

(a) West Point Detachment.

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Order.	Name.	Rank.	Company or troop.	Regiment.	Department.	Score.				Aggre- gate.	Per cent of pos- sible.
						Slow fire.	Timed fire.	Skirmish fire.			
209	James J. McBride	Sergeant	A	1st Inf	Lakes	85	48	71	204	68.00	
210	John J. Knight	Sergeant	L	15th Inf	California	82	62	70	204	68.00	
211	John H. Study	Corporal	D	28th Inf	Texas	78	57	69	204	68.00	
212	Cyrus J. Dufly	Serjt. maj.		2d Inf	Colorado	85	51	68	204	68.00	
213	Abraham U. Loeb	1st lieut.		9th Inf	East	87	49	68	204	68.00	
214	Abraham P. Buffington	Captain		1st Inf	East	87	51	66	204	68.00	
215	Samuel F. Whipple	Sergeant	C	9th Inf	East	84	55	65	204	68.00	
216	Ralph E. Baker	Trumpeter	B	1st Cav	Texas	85	64	65	204	68.00	
217	Philip H. Sheridan	2d lieut.		5th Cav	Colorado	89	50	65	204	68.00	
218	William C. Cox	Corporal	M	27th Inf	Lakes	90	62	62	204	68.00	
219	Otto B. Rosenbaum	Captain		26th Inf	Texas	98	47	59	204	68.00	
220	Joseph F. Seymour	Sergeant	K	8th Cav	Missouri	90	59	55	204	68.00	
221	Hugh Stranglin	1st serjt.	A	21st Inf	Dakota	92	59	53	204	68.00	
222	John F. De Swan	Corporal	H	21st Inf	Dakota	98	57	49	204	68.00	
223	Preston Kerrick	Private	B	3d Cav	Dakota	70	41	92	203	67.67	
224	Francis J. Koester	Captain		15th Cav	East	67	50	86	203	67.67	
225	Elmer E. Sampson	Sergeant	H	4th Cav	Missouri	73	47	83	203	67.67	
226	Edward L. Goss	Sergeant	D	3d Cav	Dakota	81	39	83	203	67.67	
227	Noel Burk	Sergeant	C	7th Cav	Gulf	90	51	72	203	67.67	
228	Raymond S. Newton	Sergeant	D	1st Cav	Texas	84	48	71	203	67.67	
229	Revere N. Still	Trumpeter	K	16th Cav	Missouri	77	53	65	202	67.33	
230	Arthur Williams	1st lieut.		2d Cav	Missouri	92	55	65	202	67.33	
231	Walter D. Smith	2d lieut.		11th Cav	Dakota	91	46	65	202	67.33	
232	Arthur G. Mohle	Trumpeter	D	3d Cav	Dakota	92	46	62	202	67.33	
233	Henry Torbellin	Sergeant	D	4th Cav	Missouri	87	57	58	202	67.33	
234	Christian A. Bach	1st lieut.		7th Cav	Gulf	92	64	56	202	67.33	
235	Ben Clary	Private	A	6th Cav	Missouri	96	64	59	201	67.00	

Best records for the year 1904.

	General figure of merit.
Division.....Southwestern.....	48.7
Department.....Lakes.....	53.1
Post.....Wayne.....	73.3
Regiment of infantry.....First.....	65.8
Regiment of cavalry.....Eighth.....	56.5
Company of infantry.....F, First.....	87.5
Troop of cavalry.....L, Eighth.....	85.6
ARMY.....F, FIRST INFANTRY.....	87.5
Individual.....Gilbert M. Allen, 1st Lieut., 19th Inf.....	(a)86.67

(a) Per cent of possible score.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 80.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 1, 1905.

I.—By direction of the President, Brigadier General *William S. McCaskey*, United States Army, having reported his arrival at Denver, Colorado, in compliance with orders heretofore issued, is assigned to the command of the Department of the Colorado, Headquarters, Denver, Colorado. [1018381, M. S. O.]

II.—Paragraph 6, General Orders, No. 197, War Department, December 31, 1904, is amended to read as follows:

6. The various distinctive marks for excellence in small-arms practice and the badges for gunners and master gunners may be worn on the breast by officers and enlisted men entitled to them, on all occasions except on active duty in the field in time of war or during maneuvers, in the manner prescribed in the next paragraph; they will precede all badges of military societies (from the wearer's right to left) and will be preceded by badges of campaigns which may be adopted by the War Department. [1011048, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 81.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 2, 1905.

I.--Paragraph 108, General Orders, No. 197, War Department, December 31, 1904, is amended by adding thereto the following:

Enlisted men serving with mountain batteries, when at drills involving packing and unpacking of the material, will wear the brown fatigue uniform, the coat of which will be loose fitting. Rank to be shown by the usual chevrons.

[1009226. M. S. O.]

II.--Paragraph II, Circular, No. 51, War Department, November 26, 1904, is revoked, and hereafter the following instructions will govern in the use of wall lockers, refrigerators, and chemical fire extinguishers supplied by the Government at army posts and stations:

1. Quartermasters will take up and account for, on their property returns, wall lockers and refrigerators; these articles to be branded with the post number of the building in which they are installed and will not be removed therefrom without the authority of the department commander.

2. Inspections required by paragraph 1018, Army Regulations, will include wall lockers and refrigerators.

3. Chemical fire extinguishers will be distributed to the buildings requiring their protection and placed on shelves in conspicuous places easy of access.

The directions on each extinguisher as to manner of use, protection, and recharging will be followed.

Twice annually, preferably at fire drill, they will be discharged and recharged. [1019822, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 82.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 3, 1905.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, General Orders, No. 3, War Department, August 18, 1903; paragraph II, General Orders, No. 38, War Department, February 29, 1904, and paragraph II, General Orders, No. 100, War Department, June 13, 1904, are hereby revoked

2. The following posts (arranged geographically) are designated as saluting stations to return the salute of foreign vessels of war visiting the ports in which such posts are situated:

ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTS.

Portland, Maine.....Fort Preble.
Portsmouth, New Hampshire... ..Fort Constitution.
Boston, Massachusetts.....Fort Warren.
New Bedford, Massachusetts.....Fort Rodman.
Newport, Rhode Island.....Fort Adams.
Fishers Island, New York (eastern entrance to Long Island Sound, ports of New London and New Haven).....Fort H. G. Wright.
New York, New York.....Fort Jay.
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.....Fort Mott.
Baltimore, Maryland.....Fort Howard.
Washington, District of Columbia.....Fort Washington.
Hampton Roads, Virginia (Norfolk and Newport News).....Fort Monroe.
Wilmington, North Carolina.....Fort Caswell.
Charleston, South Carolina.....Fort Moultrie.
Port Royal and Beaufort, South Carolina.Fort Fremont.
Savannah, Georgia (mouth of Savannah River).....Fort Screven.
Key West, Florida.....Fort Taylor.
Tampa Bay, Florida.....Fort Dade.
Pensacola, Florida.....Fort Barrancas.
Mobile, Alabama.....Fort Morgan.
New Orleans, Louisiana.....Fort St. Philip.

PACIFIC COAST.

Port Townsend, Washington; Seattle and Tacoma, Washington.....Fort Flagler.

Columbia River, Washington; Astoria,
 Oregon Fort Stevens.
 San Francisco, California..... Alcatraz Island.
 San Diego, California..... Fort Rosecrans.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Manila, Philippine Islands..... Fort Santiago.
 [1017174, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 88.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 5, 1905.

The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States, by order dated May 24, 1905, reserved for the use of the Signal Corps, United States Army, in its operation and maintenance of the United States military telegraph lines in Alaska, subject to private rights, the following-described lands in the District of Alaska, viz:

1. RIGHT OF WAY.

A strip of land 100 feet wide (50 feet on either side of center of telegraph line), along the United States Military Telegraph lines from Valdez to Fort Egbert, from Fort Egbert to boundary, from Northfork to Fort Gibbon, from Baker to Rampart, from Fort Gibbon to St. Michael, and from Safety Harbor to Fort Davis, which owing to its aggregate length of over 1,400 miles is necessarily unstaked.

2. LAND FOR TELEGRAPH OFFICES, STOREHOUSES AND STABLES, WOOD AND POLE RESERVES, LOCATED AND BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS:

(a) *Central*.—Beginning at the initial corner, which is the northwest corner, situated about 1,200 feet northwest of Central telegraph station; thence 2,500 feet east to the northeast corner; thence 1,250 feet south to the southeast corner; thence 2,500 feet west to the southwest corner; thence 1,250 feet north to the place of beginning.

(b) *Chestochema*.—The southeast corner of the United States Military Reservation is located 160 yards southeast of the southeast corner of cabin at a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence west one mile to a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence north one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence east one mile to a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence south one mile to post No. 1, the point of beginning.

(c) *Copper Center*.—The northwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located about one mile west—20 degrees south—from northwest corner of cabin at post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence east one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence south one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence west one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence north one mile to post No. 1, the point of beginning. The reservation to join south of homestead staked by William Soule, July 20, 1904.

(d) *Gakona*.—The southwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located one-half mile north from the Gakona Roadhouse, on United States military trail, post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence north one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence east one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence south one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence west one mile to post No. 1, the point of beginning.

(e) *Ketchumstock*.—Beginning at the initial corner, which is the southwest corner situated 300 feet southwest of the Ketchumstock telegraph station; thence due north 2,640 feet to northwest corner; thence due east 2,640 feet to the northeast corner post; thence due south 2,640 feet to southeast corner; and thence due west 2,640 feet to the southwest corner, place of beginning.

(f) *Mentasta*.—The northwest corner of the reservation is located 320 yards northwest of the northwest corner of the cabin, post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence east one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2";

thence south one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence west one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence north one mile to post No. 1, the point of beginning.

(g) *Northfork*.—Beginning at the initial corner, which is the southwest corner situated 140 feet southwest of the Northfork telegraph station; thence one mile north to the northwest corner; thence 1,900 feet east to the northeast corner; thence one mile south to the southeast corner; thence 1,900 feet west to the place of beginning.

(h) *Saina*.—The northwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located 3,000 feet northeast of cabin, and is designated by a cottonwood tree one foot in diameter, marked "U. S. M. R. N. W. 1"; thence east one mile, boundary being along the Saina River, to post No. 2, which is a cottonwood tree, three inches in diameter, marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence south one mile, crossing the United States military trail to foot of mountain, to a spruce tree, six inches in diameter, marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence west one mile, along the base of mountain to Blair Gulch, to a spruce tree, ten inches in diameter, marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence one mile down Blair Gulch and Saina River to point of beginning.

(i) *Summit*.—Beginning at the initial stake, which is the northwest corner, situated 760 feet northwest of the Summit telegraph station; thence 1,600 feet east to northeast stake; thence 2,000 feet south to southeast stake; thence 1,600 feet west to southwest stake; and thence 2,000 feet north to place of beginning.

(k) *Trikkel*.—The northwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located 3,680 feet northwest of the northwest corner of cabin, post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence east one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence south one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence west one mile to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence north one mile to point of beginning at post No. 1.

(l) *Tonsina*.—The northwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located 600 feet northwest of the northwest corner of cabin, post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence east 440 yards to a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence south 3,080 yards to a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence west 440 yards to a post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence north 3,080 yards to post marked "U. S. M. R. No. 1"; the point of beginning.

(m) *Workman*.—The southwest corner of the United States Military Reservation is located 1,000 feet south of the military trail, and set one and one-half miles westerly from Workman's Roadhouse, and is designated by a spruce post, six inches in diameter, marked "S. W. Cor. U. S. M. R. No. 1"; thence northerly 1,500 feet to the foot of the mountain, and to a spruce tree blazed and marked "N. W. Cor. U. S. M. R. No. 2"; thence easterly along the foot of the mountain parallel with the military trail two and one-half miles to a spruce tree, six inches in diameter, blazed and marked "N. E. Cor. U. S. M. R. No. 3"; thence southerly 1,500 feet, more or less, to Lowe River, to a spruce post, four inches in diameter, marked "S. E. Cor. U. S. M. R. No. 4"; thence westerly along Lowe River to place of beginning.

[1019630, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 84. }

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, June 7, 1905.

1. The annual small-arms competitions prescribed in Part VIII of the Firing Regulations for Small Arms, 1904, and the National Competition will take place this year as hereinafter directed.

DIVISION COMPETITIONS.

Atlantic Division at Fort Niagara, New York.

Northern Division: Infantry at Fort Sheridan, Illinois; cavalry and pistol at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Pacific Division at Presidio of Monterey, California.

Southwestern Division at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory.

ARMY COMPETITIONS.

Infantry at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, to commence August 3.

Cavalry at Fort Riley, Kansas, to commence August 3.

Pistol at Fort Riley, Kansas, to commence as soon as practicable after the cavalry competition.

2. The division competitions will be in charge of the division commander in whose division they take place, and all division competitions must be concluded in time for the competitors for the Army competitions to reach Fort Sheridan or Fort Riley by August 1.

The competitors in the Army infantry and cavalry competitions will be sent by the division commanders to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and Fort Riley, Kansas, respectively, to report not later than August 1; and the competitors in the Army pistol competition to Fort Riley, to report not later than August 13.

It being impracticable to carry rations in kind, those of the enlisted men will be commuted in advance at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per day during the travel required by this order.

The travel ordered is necessary for the public service.

3. The Army competitions will be preceded by the prescribed preliminary practice, and will be under the supervision of the commanding general, Northern Division, who is charged with the arrangement of all necessary details, and who on completion of the competition will order all connected with them to return to their respective stations, excepting those going to Sea Girt to take part in the National Match.

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Enlisted men who participate in the Army competitions may be granted a furlough not exceeding twenty days in returning to their stations.

It being impracticable for the enlisted men to carry rations in kind they will be commuted in advance at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per day during the time occupied in travel under this order.

The travel ordered is necessary for the public service.

THE NATIONAL MATCH.

4. On the completion of the Army infantry competition at Fort Sheridan, an infantry team will be selected by the commanding general, Northern Division, for participation in the National Match. The team will be selected as far as practicable from the Army infantry team, limited by General Orders, No. 41, War Department, March 15, 1905, page 2, as to its composition; as finally organized for the National Match, the members of the team will be ordered by the commanding general, Northern Division, to Sea Girt, New Jersey, so as to arrive there not later than Saturday, August 19.

The cavalry team for participation in the National Match will be selected and organized and ordered to Sea Girt in the manner prescribed for the infantry team.

The team for the National Match from the cadets of the United States Military Academy will be selected in such manner as the superintendent may prescribe and will be ordered by him to Sea Girt so as to arrive there not later than Saturday, August 19.

On arrival at Sea Girt the captains will report the arrival of their teams to Brigadier General *William P. Hall*, military secretary, United States Army, the executive officer of the National Competition.

The National Match, the National Individual Match, and the National Pistol Match prescribed in General Orders, No. 41, War Department, March 15, 1905, will be held at Sea Girt, New Jersey, commencing August 24, 1905, and will be preceded as far as practicable with preliminary practice during August 21, 22, and 23. The executive officer of the range will have charge of the same, making arrangements therefor. The teams from the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, the Military Academy, the Naval Academy, the States, Territories, and the District of Columbia which are to enter this match will consist of one team captain, one coach, one team spotter, twelve principals, and three alternates, and will be provided at the

range with the usual tentage and quartermaster's supplies for their accommodation while in camp; and the captains of the teams and those intending to enter the individual matches will give the executive officer at Sea Girt the earliest possible information as to the accommodations required in order to enable him to make the best practicable arrangements including messing facilities for them.

The commanding general, Atlantic Division, will afford the executive officer at Sea Girt such assistance in the way of troops and supplies as may be necessary to enable him to successfully conduct the competition, and will send to Sea Girt, New Jersey, not later than August 15, a battalion of infantry commanded by a field officer and with a sufficient number of officers for this purpose. On arrival at Sea Girt the commanding officer of the infantry battalion will report to the executive officer of the National Competition.

Upon the completion of the competitions at Sea Girt the commanding general, Atlantic Division, will order the officers and enlisted men on duty in connection with the National Match and the cadet team from West Point to return to their proper stations. He is authorized to grant leaves of absence or furloughs for twenty days upon application therefor to officers and enlisted men belonging to the infantry and cavalry teams.

It being impracticable for the enlisted men to carry rations in kind they will be commuted in advance at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per day during the time occupied in travel under this order.

The travel herein directed is necessary for the public service.

[1000901, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 85.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 7, 1905.

I.—By direction of the President, the following changes in the stations and duties of general officers are ordered:

Major General *John C. Bates*, United States Army, is relieved from the command of the Northern Division, to take effect June 10, 1905, and will then proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Secretary of War for duty and station in that city.

Brigadier General *Theodore J. Wint*, United States Army, will proceed at the proper time to St. Louis, Missouri, and assume temporary command of the Northern Division on June 10, 1905.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

[1021970. M. S. O.]

II.—By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 60, April 15, 1905, War Department, as relates to Brigadier General *Tasker H. Bliss*, United States Army, is amended so as to relieve him from duty in this city, to take effect at such time as will enable him to sail for Manila, Philippine Islands, from San Francisco, California, about July 8, 1905; and he is assigned to the command of the Department of Luzon, to take effect upon his arrival at Manila.

[994954. M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 86. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 8, 1906.

I.—The following provisions relating to the expenditure of spare parts for seacoast guns and carriages are published for the guidance of all concerned:

1. Spare parts for seacoast guns and carriages are not expendable and will be borne on the property returns irrespective of their condition.

2. Damaged or worn-out parts will be submitted for the action of an inspector in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1572, Army Regulations, 1904. [1015091, M. S. O.]

II.—1. *Use of submarine mine property for other purposes.*—Submarine mine property shall not be used for other than mine purposes, unless the express authority of the Chief of Artillery therefor has been previously obtained.

2. *Installing mining casemates.*—At posts provided with the necessary material (oil engine, storage battery, transformers, switchboard, operating boxes, etc.), a mining casemate shall be installed, provided a suitable room is available or may be extemporized for this purpose. If for any reason it is found impossible to make this temporary installation, the commanding officer shall make a detailed report showing why it can not be done.

3. *Disposition of submarine property ordered turned in to depot.*—Submarine mine property ordered by an inspector to be turned in to the depot shall be shipped to the torpedo depot at Fort Totten, New York.

4. *Water in cable tanks.*—Cable tanks should if practicable be kept filled with fresh water; but when this is impracticable salt water may be used until a supply of fresh water becomes available.

[1020412, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 87. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 8, 1905.

The following transfers of regiments to and from the Philippine Islands are announced:

The 4th Cavalry to relieve the 14th Cavalry.

The 3d Cavalry to relieve the 2d Cavalry.

The 13th Infantry to relieve the 7th Infantry.

The 15th Infantry to relieve the 22d Infantry.

The 1st Infantry to relieve the 20th Infantry.

The 8th Infantry to relieve the 12th Infantry.

Headquarters, band, and six troops (A, B, C, E, F, and G), 4th Cavalry, will be reported to the commanding general, Department of California, in time to sail for Manila, Philippine Islands, August 31, 1905, and relieve the 14th Cavalry, which will sail for the United States October 15, 1905. Troops I, K, and L, 4th Cavalry, will be reported in time to sail October 31, 1905.

In like manner—

The 3d Cavalry, except Troops B and M, will sail from the United States November 30, 1905, and relieve the 2d Cavalry, which will sail for the United States January 15, 1906.

The 13th Infantry will sail from the United States September 30, 1905, and relieve the 7th Infantry, which will sail for the United States November 15, 1905.

The 15th Infantry will sail from the United States October 31, 1905, and relieve the 22d Infantry, which will sail for the United States December 15, 1905.

The 1st Infantry will sail from the United States December 31, 1905, and relieve the 20th Infantry, which will sail for the United States February 15, 1906.

The 8th Infantry will sail from the United States January 31, 1906, and relieve the 12th Infantry, which will sail for the United States March 15, 1906.

Until the arrival of their reliefs from the Philippine Islands, Troops D, H, and M, 4th Cavalry, will remain in charge of the horses of the band, 1st, 2d, and 3d Squadrons, 4th Cavalry, and Troops B and M, 3d Cavalry, will remain in charge of the horses at Fort Assiniboine, Montana; Troops D, H, and M, 4th Cavalry, will sail from the United States on November 30, 1905, and Troops B and M, 3d Cavalry, on February 28, 1906.

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Upon reaching San Francisco, California, the troops arriving from Manila, Philippine Islands, will proceed to stations as follows:

Fourteenth Cavalry.

Headquarters, band, and one squadron at Fort Walla Walla, Washington.

One troop at Boise Barracks, Idaho.

The lieutenant colonel and one squadron at the Presidio of Monterey, California.

Three troops at the Presidio of San Francisco, California.

Second Cavalry.

Headquarters, band, one squadron, and two troops at Fort Assinniboine, Montana.

Two troops at Fort Keogh, Montana.

One squadron at Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

The regimental commanders will designate squadrons and troops for assignment to stations as indicated.

The horses and horse equipments of the cavalry regiments transferred by this order will not be taken with the regiments, but will be turned over upon proper invoices and receipts to officers designated by department commanders.

Seventh Infantry.

Headquarters, band, and one battalion at Fort Wayne, Michigan.

One battalion at Fort Brady, Michigan.

One battalion at Fort Sheridan, Illinois.

Twenty-second Infantry.

Headquarters, band, one battalion, and two companies at Fort McDowell, California.

One battalion at Alcatraz Island, California.

Two companies at Fort Mason, California.

Twentieth Infantry.

At the Presidio of Monterey, California.

Twelfth Infantry.

Headquarters, band, and one battalion at Fort Jay, New York.

One battalion at Fort Niagara, New York.

One battalion at Fort Porter, New York.

The regimental commanders will designate battalions and companies for assignment to stations as indicated.

With a view of filling the ranks of the outgoing regiments with men who, on the dates of sailing, will have at least two years and three months to serve, discharges, reenlistments, and transfers will be carried out under the direction of division and department commanders, as provided in General Orders, No. 144, War Department, September 2, 1904, for the 21st Infantry.

The baggage to be transported by the outgoing regiments will be reduced to the lowest practicable limit; tableware, post exchange fixtures and similar bulky property (library and billiard table excepted), full dress uniform of enlisted men and tentage, excepting shelter tents, will not be taken. Overcoats and dress uniforms may be taken if deemed necessary by the regimental commanders; if taken only to ports of sailing, they may be packed and stored there or shipped back to former stations, as may be deemed most advisable. Enlisted men will not be allowed to have trunks or boxes for baggage. They will be allowed to take the usual locker (one to each man), their marching kits, and the telescopic cases of the pattern in the office of the Quartermaster General, the latter to be supplied by the Quartermaster's Department, one to each man, and their personal effects will be limited to what they can carry in these. Baggage accompanying troops by rail will be limited to 150 pounds per man, and any excess of this weight will be shipped by freight in advance unless satisfactory and economical arrangements can be made for shipping such excess with the troops. Property left at stations will be carefully packed, marked, listed in duplicate, and turned over to the Quartermaster's Department for storage.

Company commanders will make every proper effort to induce their men to make allotments of pay in favor of their dependent relatives, as provided in paragraph 1374 of the Army Regulations of 1904.

Attention is invited to paragraph 2, General Orders, No. 46, May 29, 1902, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, directing that organizations designated for service in the Philippine Islands prior to departure from their respective stations be furnished with certificates that they have been inspected and are protected against smallpox, in order to assist the medical authorities at ports of sailing in determining the necessity for detention and observation.

Division and department commanders will by concert of action arrange the details of these movements and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival, and strength

of commands, by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies. [1022347. M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE.

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 88. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 10, 1905.

I.—Paragraph I, General Orders, No. 11, War Department, January 16, 1904, is hereby amended so as to direct that no requisitions will be submitted from coast artillery stations for the different instruments issued by the Ordnance Department for the fire control and direction system for coast artillery for original installations. [1022358, M. S. O.]

II.—1. Surgeons of posts will keep on hand horse equipments for the use of members of the Hospital Corps under their command who are authorized by paragraph 1468, Army Regulations, 1904, to be mounted on the march or in the field.

2. At all posts where there are cavalry troops the men of the Hospital Corps referred to in section 1, paragraph II, of this order will be reported to a troop commander on one day of each week, as may be determined by the post commander, for one hour's instruction in equitation as a member of the troop; the soldier to use his own equipment and the troop commander to provide the horse, which will be thoroughly groomed after the drill by the rider. [1003920, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

GEORGE L. GILLESPIE,
Major General, Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 89.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1905.

By direction of the President, the following order is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

For the purpose of instructing the field artillery in modern tactical methods it is directed that two provisional field artillery regiments be organized as follows:

First Provisional Regiment, Field Artillery, to be commanded by Lieutenant Colonel *Sydney W. Taylor*, Artillery Corps, will be the provisional regiment organized by paragraph 6, General Orders, No. 152, War Department, September 14, 1904, the batteries of which, with the exception of the 16th (siege), will be assembled at Fort Riley, Kansas, on August 1, next, on which date the battalion organization prescribed by General Orders, No. 152, War Department, 1904, for the batteries of this regiment will be temporarily suspended, and they will be organized into three provisional battalions of two batteries each, as follows:

First Provisional Battalion: Major *Granger Adams*, Artillery Corps, commanding; 7th and 20th Batteries (horse), Field Artillery.

Second Provisional Battalion: Major *William H. Coffin*, Artillery Corps, commanding; 6th and 19th Batteries, Field Artillery.

Third Provisional Battalion: Major *Henry M. Andrews*, Artillery Corps, commanding; 25th and 29th Batteries, Field Artillery.

The 16th Battery (siege) will not be included in the mobilization of this regiment.

The 2d Provisional Regiment, Field Artillery, shall consist of six batteries of field artillery, organized into two provisional battalions of three batteries each. Colonel *Walter Howe*, Artillery Corps, is designated to command this regiment.

For the purpose of organizing this regiment, the 2d, 6th, and 10th Battalions of Field Artillery will report to Colonel *Howe* at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, on June 30, 1905, at which time the battalion organization prescribed in General Orders, No. 152, War Department, 1904, will be temporarily suspended as far as the above organizations are concerned, and the batteries comprising them will be organized into two provisional battalions of three batteries each, as follows:

First Provisional Battalion: Major *Lotus Niles*, Artillery Corps, commanding; 2d, 15th, and 13th Batteries, Field Artillery.

Second Provisional Battalion: Major *Warren P. Newcomb*, Artillery Corps, commanding; 14th, 21st, and 8th Batteries, Field Artillery.

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Sergeant Major *William H. Shaffer*, Artillery Corps, junior grade, will report on June 26, 1905, to the commanding officer of the 2d Provisional Regiment at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, for duty as acting regimental sergeant major.

The 2d Provisional Regiment will not be part of the garrison at Fort Sill, but will be an independent command, and its officers will not be available for post duties or entitled to quarters, but will be subject to the post police regulations. The post quartermaster and the post commissary will, however, supply this regiment with the necessary quartermaster and commissary stores, and will be directed to make timely requisitions for the same. In estimating for supplies they will assume that a battery consists of 4 officers, 120 enlisted men, and 104 horses.

During the period that the 1st Provisional Regiment is assembled all artillery recitations at the field artillery school will cease.

The provisional regiments will remain in camp until November 1, 1905, at which time the 2d Regiment will be disbanded, and the 2d, 6th, and 10th Battalions, Field Artillery, will return to their proper stations. The 29th Battery belonging to the 1st Provisional Regiment will also return to its station on this date.

It will be assumed by the regimental commanders that the batteries of their respective regiments have been fully instructed in accordance with the program of instruction for field batteries, as prescribed in General Orders, No. 71, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, May 14, 1903, and therefore no time should be spent on battery instruction. Sufficient time, however, will be allowed the battery commanders in which to instruct their men in the handling and care of the new material, and schools of the cannonier. All instruction, with the above exception, will be by regiment or battalion. If, however, it should be found by the regimental commander that any battery is deficient in battery instruction he may direct that battery instruction be given it outside of regular drill hours, which instruction shall be in addition to the regular drills required. At least 75 per cent of the time available will be devoted to regimental instruction. In a general way the instruction will be limited to what is needed to teach the field artillery to operate in large units in the field and to solve the problems which they may reasonably expect to be confronted with in the event of actual hostilities.

Special attention will be given to the following subjects of instruction: Preparation for action, fire control, location and change of position, replacement of ammunition, marches, field practice, and target practice.

Drill on parade ground will be confined to simple movements necessary for ceremonies. The allowance of ammunition for

service practice of the batteries of these regiments will be expended at regimental and battalion target practice under the direction of the regimental commander. Rules for this practice will be communicated at some later date to the regimental commanders.

For the purpose of testing the material, the provisional regiment at Fort Riley, Kansas, will during the period of instruction make a practice march of at least 200 miles. During this march a full supply of ammunition will be carried in the limbers and caissons, and at its completion the regimental commander will make a full report to the Chief of Artillery, giving in detail any defects noticed and suggesting any changes which he may think advisable, either with material or organization.

Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph M. Califf*, Artillery Corps, will report on July 20, 1905, at Fort Riley, Kansas, to Lieutenant Colonel *Sydney W. Taylor*, Artillery Corps, for duty with the 1st Provisional Regiment, Field Artillery.

The following-named officers, Artillery Corps, will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Taylor* at Fort Riley, Kansas, on July 20, 1905, for duty as regimental and battalion staff officers: Captain *Stephen M. Foote*, Captain *John Conklin, jr.*, Captain *Oscar I. Straub*, Captain *Edmund M. Blake*, Captain *John P. Hains*, and Captain *George Le R. Irwin*.

Colonel *Walter Howe*, Artillery Corps, will report at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, on June 30, 1905.

Lieutenant Colonel *Harry R. Anderson*, Artillery Corps, will report at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, for duty with the 2d Provisional Regiment on June 26, 1905, and take charge of the preliminary arrangements for the accommodation of the regiment until the arrival of Colonel *Howe*.

The following-named officers, Artillery Corps, will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Harry R. Anderson* at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, on June 26, 1905, for duty as regimental and battalion staff officers: Captain *Charles A. Bennett*, Captain *Ira A. Haynes*, Captain *Samuel D. Sturgis*, Captain *Harry L. Hawthorne*, and Captain *Charles F. Parker*.

Captain *Thomas Ridgway*, Artillery Corps, is appointed acting regimental ordnance officer, and will report at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, for duty on June 26, 1905, or at such time previous as will enable him to take charge of the ordnance material for the regiment to be shipped from the arsenals. The date of shipment of this material will be communicated to Captain *Ridgway*.

The Ordnance Department will, as soon as practicable, ship to Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, the new material necessary to equip the following batteries: 2d, 15th, 8th, 14th, 21st, and 13th. These batteries, before leaving their present stations, will prepare their present ordnance equipment, excepting the horse equipments, personal equipment of the men, and target

material, for shipment to the commanding officer, Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois, and will then turn it over to the post quartermaster of their respective stations for shipment. As soon as the Ordnance Department has enough of the new material on hand to equip five more batteries it will be issued to the organizations of the 1st Provisional Regiment at Fort Riley, Kansas, which will then prepare their present equipment for shipment to the commanding officer, Rock Island Arsenal, turning it over to the post quartermaster for this purpose.

Instruments for the observation of fire will be issued as soon as manufactured to the above organizations by the Ordnance Department.

The material necessary for lines of communication in connection with fire control instruction, such as field telephones, signal flags, etc., will be issued on approved requisition by the Chief Signal Officer of the Army.

All movements directed in this order will be by battalion. The 16th Battery will not be included in the movement of the Fort Leavenworth battalion.

Before leaving their present stations the battalion commanders will see that their battalions are fully equipped for field service by the Quartermaster's Department at their present stations, and that the necessary tentage, field ovens, and other field stores are issued to them. They will also take with them their targets and target material.

The personal baggage of officers and enlisted men will be limited strictly to the field allowance. All other property will be left at the stations, carefully packed, marked, listed in duplicate, and turned over to the Quartermaster's Department for storage during the absence of these organizations.

Division and department commanders will by concert of action arrange the details of these movements, and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

[1023341, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 90. }

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, June 15, 1905.

Before a general court-martial which convened at Camp Jossman, Guimaras, Philippine Islands, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 47, March 18, 1905, Department of the Visayas, and of which Lieutenant Colonel CORNELIUS GARDENER, 21st Infantry, was president, and First Lieutenant GEORGE H. SHIELDS, JR., 12th Infantry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62nd Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from Second Lieutenant Dolie M. Metcalf, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, the sum of two hundred and ten (210) dollars and six (6) cents, U. S. currency, more or less, funds of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to take the amount up on the company fund book and properly account for same. This at Capiz, Panay, P. I., on or about May 1, 1902.”

Specification 2d—“In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from Second Lieutenant Dolie M. Metcalf, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, the sum of twenty (20) dollars and sixty (60) cents, U. S. currency, more or less, funds of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to take the amount up on the company fund book and properly account for same. This at Capiz, Panay, P. I., on or about March 31, 1903.”

Specification 3d—“In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from Second Lieutenant Dolie M. Metcalf, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, the sum of five (5) dollars and forty-five (45) cents, Conant, more or less, funds of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to take the amount up on the company fund book and properly account for same. This at Ragay, Ambos Camarines, P. I., on or about November 10th, 1904.”

Specification 4th—“In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, being responsible for thirty-seven (37) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents, U. S. currency, more or less, funds of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to produce or properly account for the same at an inspection of his company fund account, by Captain William L. Geary, com-

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missary, U. S. Army, who was acting under proper orders. This at Camp Jossman, Guimaras, P. I., on or about February 14, 1905."

CHARGE II.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman."

Specification 1st.—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, did knowingly and wilfully misappropriate and apply to his own use and benefit the sum of two hundred and ten (210) dollars and six (6) cents, U. S. currency; twenty (20) dollars and sixty (60) cents, U. S. currency; five dollars and forty-five (45) cents, Conant; thirty-seven (37) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents, U. S. currency, more or less, funds of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, for which he was accountable. This between May 1, 1902, and about February 14, 1905, at various places in the Philippine Islands."

Specification 2d.—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from different members of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, through First Sergeant Simplicio Dones, 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, on or about November 30, 1903, the sum of eighty-nine (89) dollars, U. S. currency, more or less, for the purpose of purchasing band instruments for the use of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to purchase said instruments, and did knowingly and wilfully misappropriate and apply to his own use and benefit said money. This between November 30, 1903, and about February 17, 1905, at various places in the Philippine Islands."

Specification 3d.—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from different members of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, through First Sergeant Simplicio Dones, 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, on or about January 31, 1904, the sum of eighty-four (84) dollars, U. S. currency, more or less, for the purchase of band instruments for the use of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to purchase said instruments, and did knowingly and wilfully misappropriate and apply to his own use and benefit said money. This between January 31, 1904, and about February 17, 1905, at various places in the Philippine Islands."

Specification 4th.—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from different members of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, through First Sergeant Simplicio Dones, 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, on or about February 29,

1904, the sum of eighty-five (85) dollars, U. S. currency, more or less, for the purpose of purchasing band instruments for the use of the 46th Company, Philippine Scouts, did fail to purchase said instruments, and did knowingly and wilfully misappropriate and apply to his own use and benefit said money. This between February 29, 1904, and about February 17, 1905, at various places in the Philippine Islands."

CHARGE III.—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from Captain Edward A. Shuttleworth, quartermaster, U. S. Army, on or about February 23, 1904, the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, U. S. currency, more or less, belonging to the United States and furnished and intended for the military service thereof, did embezzle the same; and having been lawfully ordered to produce or account for said money, did fail, neglect, and refuse to do so. This at Camp Jossman, Guimaras, P. I., on or about February 17, 1905."

Specification 2d—"In that First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, having received from Captain Edward A. Shuttleworth, quartermaster, U. S. Army, on or about February 23, 1904, the sum of two hundred (200) dollars, U. S. currency, more or less, belonging to the United States and furnished and intended for the military service thereof, did embezzle the same; and having been lawfully ordered to produce or account for said money, did fail, neglect, and refuse to do so. This at Camp Jossman, Guimaras, P. I., on or about February 17, 1905."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the **CHARGE**, "Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the **CHARGE**, "Not guilty."

Charge III.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

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Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge III.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, *Hans F. Weusthoff*, First Lieutenant, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States, and to forfeit to the United States seven hundred (\$700.00) dollars of his pay now due.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 12th, 1905.

In the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, U. S. Army, the sentence is confirmed and will be duly executed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

First Lieutenant *Hans F. Weusthoff*, Philippine Scouts, ceases to be an officer of the Army from June 17, 1905.

[1013841, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 91.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 15, 1905.

I.—Paragraphs 239, 403, 890, 1068, and 1873, Army Regulations, are amended to read as follows:

239. The regimental staff officers are appointed from the captains, and consist of the adjutant, the quartermaster, and the commissary, and they will be so designated, respectively. They are appointed by the regimental commander, who will at once report his action to The Military Secretary of the Army. The battalion staff officers are appointed from the lieutenants and consist of the adjutant and the quartermaster and commissary, and they will be designated as the battalion (or squadron) adjutant and as battalion (or squadron) quartermaster and commissary, respectively. They are appointed by the regimental commander upon the recommendation of the battalion commander. When a battalion is detached and serving at such a distance from regimental headquarters that more than fifteen days are required for exchange of correspondence by mail, the battalion staff officers are appointed by the battalion commander, who will immediately notify the regimental commander and The Military Secretary of the Army. Appointments of staff officers will not be antedated and will take effect on the day on which actually made. A regimental staff officer will be entitled to the pay pertaining to his appointment from the date on which he reports for duty at regimental headquarters; a battalion staff officer, from the date on which he reports for duty at the station of a company of his battalion whether such company be stationed at the post of the battalion commander or not. This date will be noted on the post return for the month in which the officer reports, and on his pay voucher for the same month. [1017794, M. S. O.]

403. It is the custom of foreign ships of war, on entering a harbor or passing near a fortification, to display at the main the flag of the country in whose waters they are, and to salute it. It is the rule, however, in our own and foreign navies to fire salutes only between 8 a. m. and sunset. On the completion of the salute to the flag, a salute of the same number of guns will be promptly returned by the designated saluting station. United States vessels return salutes to the flag in United States waters only when there is no fort or battery

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designated to do so. United States vessels do not salute United States forts or posts, and the converse.

Saluting stations, for the purpose of returning the salutes of foreign men-of-war in the ports and territorial waters of the United States, will be designated in orders from time to time by the War Department.

The salute to the flag is the only salute that is returned, and this is invariably done as soon as possible. The time intervening should never exceed twenty-four hours. The failure to return such salutes is regarded as a discourtesy or lack of friendship justifying the other party in asking an explanation.

Notice of an intention to salute the flag is sometimes given by the vessel direct to the fort, but as giving notice involves delay, vessels generally salute without it. Surveying vessels, storeships, and transports do not salute. If notice of intention to salute the flag be received by a fort, not the saluting station, such fort immediately notifies the saluting station and informs the vessel of the fact. [1021271, M. S. O.]

890. Inspectors general and acting inspectors general will report by letter on arriving at their stations to the Inspector General of the Army. Thereafter they will furnish him copies of all orders and written instructions received for tours of inspection, or for investigations, giving the nature of the duty they are going to perform, the probable time they will be at each place visited during their tour, and the probable date they will return to their stations.

At the close of each fiscal year the inspector general of a military division will submit to the division commander a report covering the operations of the Inspector General's Department within the division during the past year, together with such recommendations for the improvement of the service as he may deem fit, and will forward a copy thereof, through military channels, to the Inspector General of the Army. [1013733, M. S. O.]

1068. The issue of stationery for all military purposes shall be made on requisition approved by the commanding officer. The material to be issued will consist of typewriter supplies, writing and blotting paper, pads, pens, penholders, ink, mucilage, sealing wax, officetape, envelopes, and lead pencils. Officers approving requisitions will enforce economy in the use of stationery. But one issue a quarter will be made to officers not drawing for an office. For each issue the quartermaster



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will require one copy of the approved requisition receipted by the officer to whom the issue is made. These issues, as soon as made, will be entered upon the return, and one copy of the approved requisition will be forwarded to the Quartermaster General with the return, as a voucher thereto. [1018708, M. S. O.]

1878. Enlisted men qualifying as expert riflemen are entitled to \$1.00 per month in addition to their pay, for a period of three years from the date of publication in department orders of the fact of qualification; provided, that during that time they continue to be members of an organization armed with the rifle or carbine, or reenlist in such an organization within three months from date of discharge. Qualification can not be made in the Artillery Corps.

The fact of qualification will be published in department orders, and the first muster and pay rolls must give the number, date, and source of the order. When a soldier ceases to be entitled to expert rifleman's pay the fact will be noted on the muster and pay rolls. [908360, M. S. O.]

II.—The following paragraph is added to the Manual of the Quartermaster's Department:

17½. When an officer is detailed for duty in the Quartermaster's Department he will forward at once to the Quartermaster General of the Army a copy of the order assigning him to such duty and relieving his predecessor. [1016804, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 92. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 16, 1905.

Before a general court-martial which convened at Zamboanga, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 39, February 27, and No. 42, March 2, 1905, Department of Mindanao, and of which Lieutenant Colonel HENRY E. ROBINSON, 22d Infantry, was president, and Captain HAROLD P. HOWARD, 14th Cavalry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

First Lieutenant *Earle W. Tanner*, 17th Infantry.

CHARGE.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

(Eight specifications.)

To which charge and specifications the accused, 1st Lieutenant *Earle W. Tanner*, 17th Infantry, submitted a special plea in the nature of a motion to quash in answer to the 1st and 7th specifications upon the ground that the offenses alleged therein are so involved with the offenses alleged in the 2d and 8th specifications, respectively, as to be practically parts thereof and included therein. The pleas as to the 1st and the 7th specifications were overruled by the court, whereupon the accused pleaded as follows:

To the 1st Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 2d Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 3d Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 4th Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 5th Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 6th Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 7th Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the 8th Specification, “Not guilty.”
To the CHARGE, “Not guilty.”

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Of the 1st Specification, “Guilty.”
Of the 2d Specification, “Not guilty.”
Of the 3d Specification, “Not guilty.”
Of the 4th Specification, “Guilty.”
Of the 5th Specification, “Guilty.”
Of the 6th Specification, “Guilty.”
Of the 7th Specification, “Not guilty.”

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Of the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, 1st Lieutenant *Earle W. Tanner*, 17th Infantry, "*To be dismissed from the service.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of 1st Lieutenant *Earle W. Tanner*, 17th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 13, 1905.

In the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Earle W. Tanner*, Seventeenth U. S. Infantry, the findings of guilty as to the fifth and sixth specifications are disapproved. Although the testimony shows that the conduct of the accused was indiscreet and to some extent compromising, it does not appear that it was criminal to the degree which is indicated in the article of war under which the charge was laid; as so qualified the findings as to the first and fourth specifications are approved. In view of the excellent military record of the accused, as testified to by his commanding officers, and having regard to the voluntary and substantial sacrifice of military rank which was made by him in order to obtain the opportunity to take part in active operations in the Philippine Islands, the sentence imposed is remitted.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

[1026045, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 93.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 17, 1905.

I. General Orders, No. 51, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, June 6, 1902; General Orders, No. 101, War Department, June 14, 1904; paragraphs 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, General Orders, No. 108, War Department, June 20, 1904; General Orders, No. 141, War Department, August 27, 1904; Artillery Memorandum, No. 1, War Department, February 27, 1905, and so much of General Orders, No. 53, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, December 29, 1896, as relates to the instruction of coast artillery troops, are hereby revoked.

II. The accompanying details of methods of instruction of coast artillery are published for the information and guidance of all concerned.

[1018852, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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METHODS OF INSTRUCTION FOR COAST ARTILLERY.

Pursuant to paragraphs 294 and 307, Army Regulations, 1904, the following details of methods of instruction for Coast Artillery are published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS.

1. All military exercises prescribed in this order, except recruit instruction, small-arms target practice, signaling, night drill, athletic competitions, artillery practice, and submarine mine instruction involving work on the water, will be concluded by noon of each day.

2. The artillery instruction year is coincident with the fiscal year. It is divided into periods as follows:

(a) The period of outdoor instruction, including artillery practice, at the batteries.

(b) The period of indoor instruction, which will include both theoretical and practical instruction.

Batteries to which companies are assigned for drill and practice will be kept at all times in commission. Division commanders will designate the limiting dates for each period of instruction in each artillery district. The periods of outdoor instruction will be made as long as the climate will permit, provided the period of indoor instruction shall be continuous and of at least three months' duration; the latter may be coincident with the garrison school term.

3. Coast artillery troops will receive instruction in—

I. Artillery.

II. Submarine mining.

III. Signaling.

IV. Infantry drill and small-arms practice.

V. Athletics.

I. ARTILLERY.

4. The Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery, United States Army (Provisional), will be strictly observed to the full extent existing equipment permits. At posts where the equipment is incomplete commanding officers are required to improvise

methods with available material, and all artillery exercises not embraced in this system are prohibited.

Paragraphs 470 to 524, inclusive, Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery (Provisional), prescribing Routine Duties, including General Instructions, Night Drill, Indoor Instruction, Saturday Artillery Inspection, Monthly Artillery Inspection, Material out of Commission, the Detail of Manning Parties for Material in Commission, Special Duty Details for Material in Commission, Additional Details for Drill and Target Practice, Signals, the Daily Routine, Precautions for Safety during Artillery Practice, Attendance at Artillery Practice, Care and Handling of Powder Charges and Reports, will be observed by all coast artillery troops without exception.

OUTDOOR INSTRUCTION.

5. The general character of artillery drills during the period of outdoor instruction will be as follows, and in no case, except hereinafter provided, or in the performance of other duty ordered on special occasions, such as reviews and inspections by department commanders or higher authority, will these drills be dispensed with. In case any prescribed drill is omitted it passes.

(a) Battle commanders will one day each week exercise battle command from their stations. Where this is impracticable, due to lack of or failure of communication or other unavoidable cause, fire-command drill will be substituted, which will be in addition to (b), following.

(b) Fire commanders will one day each week exercise fire command from their stations.

(c) Two days will be devoted to battery drill.

(d) Night drill will be held once each week and will be devoted to battle command, fire command, or battery drill, the relative number of drills and character of each depending upon the searchlight equipment. Night drills will be conducted as prescribed in Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery, paragraph 478. Night drill will be equivalent to one morning drill.

6. Artillery instruction at the guns will have allotted to it one and one-half hours daily, except for night drill, exclusive of time required to march to and from the battery (Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, and inclement weather excepted). Night

drills will be limited to one hour at the batteries. These hours may be increased at any post by division or department commanders, either upon recommendation of artillery district commanders or when an inspection shows that either the armament or personnel is not in an efficient condition. When the weather is not suitable for outdoor work artillery instruction will be given under cover.

ATTENDANCE AT ARTILLERY DRILL.

7. During the time allotted to instruction at the guns one hour daily will be given to artillery drill. The entire artillery personnel, including officers (with the exceptions noted in paragraph 8), will attend this drill, manning all the armament in commission, and the drill will be conducted in the manner which would be required in time of action with existing equipment.

When in the opinion of the artillery district commander any company has attained satisfactory proficiency in its drill, he may, on days devoted to battery drill, authorize part of this hour to be devoted to other practical artillery instruction of the *gun section* at the batteries, but each *range section* will be required to drill during the whole of this hour, and all of the personnel, including gun sections, will be required to drill together and continuously for at least twenty minutes each day. No part of this drill hour shall be devoted to cleaning the armament or to policing emplacements.

Extra and special duty men are required to attend during the whole of this drill hour, whether the gun sections drill throughout the hour or not. The remaining half hour will be devoted to instructing the men in the care and use of the armament and its accessories, to such additional drill and instruction as may be required, to cleaning the armament, and policing the emplacements.

8. The following men may be excused from attendance at artillery drill and inspections:

- (a) Post bakers and company cooks.
- (b) One man in charge of each barrack.
- (c) One man in charge of fire apparatus, if necessary.
- (d) The police sergeant.
- (e) The driver of market wagon (market messenger), if necessary.

- (f) Man in charge of stables.
- (g) Men on quartermaster's boat.
- (h) Men in charge of water supply, or ice plant, if necessary.
- (i) Post guard.
- (j) Helpers to ordnance machinists.
- (k) Mail orderly, if necessary.
- (l) Man in charge of heating apparatus in each barrack, when fires are necessary.
- (m) Noncommissioned officers detailed as instructors of recruits.

9. Where it is necessary for the efficient conduct of work in the staff departments, commanding officers are authorized to extend the time of labor of extra-duty men one hour to compensate for that devoted to artillery exercises.

"TO ARMS."

10. One week annually during a suitable season, to be selected by the artillery district commander and to be the same time for all posts in the same battle command, the companies manning the various batteries of the battle command will be camped in the immediate vicinity of the batteries. Such places as would be selected for this purpose, under conditions of threatened attack, will be selected by the artillery district commander and assigned to the companies. During this period service conditions will obtain at the batteries and their equipment and accessories. "To Arms" will be sounded at such time during the day and night as the battle commander may designate. Extra and special duty men and the men on the list given in paragraph 8, except the company cooks, will be excused from this camp duty. The artillery district commander will prepare a plan of operation for this period assuming certain conditions of attack, and endeavor will be made to make the exercises of practical value to the command in developing the possibilities of the defense. All other routine drill and instruction will be omitted during this period. All available boat transportation will be made as full use of as practicable.

MORTAR BATTERIES.

11. A mortar battery as a tactical unit consists of two pits of four mortars each. Where sixteen mortars are mounted in the same work, they comprise two tactical mortar batteries.

If the pits are in line, the division is made between pits B and C; if the pits are at the corners of a rectangle, the division will be made in accordance with the principles set forth in Artillery Notes, No. 23.

12. When two or more companies at the same post are assigned to mortars for drill and practice, they will be assigned by artillery district commanders to particular tactical batteries, so that as many complete batteries of eight mortars each as practicable shall be maintained in commission.

13. Each mortar battery to which two companies are assigned will be organized as prescribed in drill regulations for coast artillery (provisional). The senior officer, a major if practicable, will be assigned as battery commander; the next ranking officer as battery officer; and the remaining officers as emplacement and range officers according to their respective fitness.

INDOOR INSTRUCTION.

14. Indoor instruction will have allotted to it at least one and one-half hours daily. Only the men mentioned in the list given in paragraph 8, and extra and special duty men who are first class gunners will be excused from attendance.

II. SUBMARINE MINING.

15. In artillery districts in which no torpedo company is stationed the artillery district engineer will take charge of submarine mining instruction at posts provided with a mine equipment. He will be assisted by the post artillery engineer. When travel is necessary it will be authorized by the department commander.

16. A permanent detail of not less than three noncommissioned officers and twelve privates, especially selected, will be made at each post provided with a mine equipment to assist the artillery engineer in its care and preservation at all times. All mining casemates at garrisoned posts will be kept at all times in commission, exceptions to be made only by authority of the War Department. One month before the annual visit of the torpedo planter this detail will be increased to 24 men (2 sergeants, 4 corporals, 18 privates), and will be excused from all other artillery drill, and during the daily artillery drill period will be given preliminary instruction in submarine mining. This course of instruction will include both

drill; the care and preservation of the submarine mine equipment; the practical details and workings of the mining casemate apparatus; laying out a triple group of mines on land, including casemate connections, and a general testing of the equipment. All preparation will be made so that the fullest advantage may be taken of the visit of the torpedo planter.

17. During the stay of a torpedo planter at a post this detail (24 men) on the days required for submarine mine instruction will be excused from all other instruction, and whenever practicable from guard and police duty.

18. The instruction of torpedo companies which will be attended by the entire personnel with the exceptions noted in paragraph 8 will be conducted during the hours prescribed for instruction in artillery, and these hours may be increased as provided for other companies in paragraph 6.

19. The general character of drills and instruction will be as follows:

Practice in:

1. Making turks heads.
 - (a) Single conductor cable.
 - (b) Multiple cable.
2. Making telegraph joints.
3. Making okonite joints.
 - (a) Uniting two single conductor cables.
 - (b) Uniting multiple cable and seven branch cables.
 - (c) Uniting branch cable and three mine cables.
 - (d) Uniting mine cable to leading-in wire.
4. Loading cut-out plugs and boxes.
 - (a) Judgment firing.
 - (b) Combination firing.
5. Preparing compound plug for buoyant mine.
 - (a) Judgment firing.
 - (b) Automatic firing.
 - (c) Combination firing.
6. Preparing compound plug for ground mine.
 - (a) Judgment firing.
 - (b) Automatic firing.
 - (c) Combination firing.
7. Preparing circuit regulator buoys, compound plugs.
 - (a) Automatic firing.
 - (b) Combination firing.

8. Loading compound plug.
9. Loading mine.
 - (a) Buoyant mine.
 - (b) Ground mine.
10. Assembling a triple group of mines, making connection through triple and grand junction boxes to multiple cable.
11. Attaching mooring sockets to cable.
12. Insulating an exposed cable conductor.
13. Making knots.
14. Planting and raising groups of mines.
15. Using telephone.
16. Caring for torpedo material.
17. Position finding.
18. Casemate apparatus.
19. Operating mine searchlight.
20. Boat drill.
21. Service R. F. guns.
20. Extra and special duty men are required to attend during one hour of this time, under the rules prescribed for other companies in paragraph 7.
21. At posts where torpedo companies are stationed they will man and operate during the regular night drill the mine range stations, casemate, rapid-fire guns, and searchlights for defense of mine fields.
22. During both day and night drills the tug will pass over an area assumed to be mined. Judgment firing will be practiced by firing fuses or small charges of explosive on shore from the casemate when the position finder shows the tug near the plotted position of a mine.
23. The character and scope of instruction with the torpedo planters will be prescribed in special instructions from the War Department to all concerned.
24. Service practice for torpedo companies and detachments will be had during the visit of a torpedo planter at posts equipped with submarine mine material. It will consist in firing by judgment the authorized number of mines with full service charges. The mine commander will be in immediate charge of the practice. A regulation artillery target will be used on a towline 500 yards long. As soon as the tug crosses the line of mines this fact will be indicated by raising a red

flag at a point on shore previously designated to the range party on the tug. This signal will be answered by raising a red flag on the tug. After this latter signal tracking of the target will commence. On account of possible danger from loaded mines the tracking of target will not begin before time stated and these mines will not be planted in usually navigated channels. Dynamite will not be used as an explosive for this practice.

III. SIGNALING.

25. As prescribed in paragraph 1594, Army Regulations, 1904

IV. INFANTRY INSTRUCTION.

26. Coast artillery recruits upon arrival at post will be organized for instruction into squads not exceeding eight men each and will be thoroughly instructed by selected noncommissioned officers under the supervision of a commissioned officer in the following subjects before they are turned in to their companies for instruction:

Infantry Drill Regulations, U. S. Army, 1904.

School of the Soldier, entire (paragraphs 25 to 87, inclusive).

School of the Squad, entire (paragraphs 88 to 160, inclusive).

Honors (paragraphs 587, 588, 591, 593 to 598, inclusive, 601).

Firing Regulations for Small Arms, 1904.

Part II. The Rifle and Carbine.

Nomenclature and Description (paragraphs 1, 3, 4
5, 6, and 7, inclusive).

Care and Cleaping (paragraphs 8 to 16, inclusive).

Ammunition (paragraphs 17 to 21, inclusive).

Part III. Preliminary Drills for Rifle and Carbine.

Sighting Drills (paragraphs 23 to 43, inclusive).

Position and Aiming Drills (paragraphs 44 to 77,
inclusive).

Gallery Practice (paragraphs 87 to 99, inclusive).

Manual of Guard Duty, 1902.

Privates of the Guard (paragraphs 205 to 213, inclusive).

Orders for Sentinels on Post (paragraphs 214 to 256, inclusive).

Compliments from Sentinels (paragraphs 257 to 269, inclusive).

Special Orders (paragraphs 282 to 285, inclusive).

Supernumeraries (paragraph 295).

Special Orders for Sentinels in charge of Prisoners (paragraphs 304 to 308, inclusive).

Miscellaneous (paragraphs 382 and 385).

27. Coast artillery companies will be instructed in the school of the company entire, except that division commanders may suspend instruction in extended order at posts where in their judgment facilities for such instruction do not exist.

28. Wherever there are two or more companies at a post, they will be organized into provisional battalions of not more than five companies each. Battalions will be commanded and drilled by field officers wherever lieutenant colonels or majors are available. Battalions will be instructed in the school of the battalion entire, except in extended order.

29. Wherever there are two or more battalions at a post, they will be organized into provisional regiments. Regimental drill will be confined to such evolutions as are necessary in the conduct of the prescribed ceremonies.

30. Coast artillery troops will be instructed in all ceremonies which may be required at the post from the size and composition of the garrison.

Necessary instruction will be given in the manuals of the saber to officers and noncommissioned staff officers, and of the color to acting color sergeants. Artillery bands will be instructed in paragraphs 535 to 537, inclusive, Infantry Drill Regulations, 1904.

31. Instruction in Advance and Rear Guard, Outposts and Marches, will not be required of coast artillery troops, except in immediate preparation for active duty as infantry, when specifically designated for such duty by orders from the War Department.

32. Instruction in camping and pitching tents will be confined to the week's exercises prescribed in paragraph 10 and to such other periods as are necessarily spent in camp, such as Army and Navy Joint Exercises or Maneuvers.

33. When there are two or more companies at a post, there will be a daily parade (Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, and inclement weather excepted) and an infantry drill of at least fifteen minutes' duration immediately preceding or following the parade. At a one-company post there will be a daily in-

fantry drill of at least twenty minutes' duration (Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, and inclement weather excepted). Escort of the color (to be conducted by the commanding officer at all artillery district headquarters), fire drill, and instruction in first aid will be held once a month. These exercises will be in lieu of the day's parade and infantry drill on the days on which they are held.

SMALL-ARMS TARGET PRACTICE.

34. Small-arms target practice will be conducted at least six hours daily as prescribed in Firing Regulations for Small Arms, 1904, Special Course "A." During the time necessarily devoted to small-arms target practice the companies firing will be excused from all other tactical instruction.

V. ATHLETIC EXERCISES.

35. Such athletic exercises and competitions as may be prescribed by division and department commanders.

PRACTICE.

Times for holding Coast Artillery practice.

36. Owing to the limited allowance of ammunition, service practice for the year 1905-1906, will be held with the 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch rifles, with mortars and with rapid-fire guns twice during the year. The second occasion of practice will be separated from the first by at least four months, except as provided for in paragraph 41.

37. *Service practice* in each artillery district will be held at such times as may be directed by the artillery district commander. Information as to the time practice will be held shall not be communicated to any one concerned more than twenty-four hours prior to the time set for the beginning of the same, except to the division commander or department commander when they so desire.

38. Subcaliber practice with all guns and mortars in commission will be held at convenient times throughout the year, except that no more than one-third of the annual allowance shall be expended in any quarter of the fiscal year.

Preliminary, gunners', and company subcaliber practice will be held on days designated for battery drill; fire command subcaliber practice will be held on days designated for fire command drill. The particular dates for each kind of sub-

caliber practice will be fixed by post commanders, report being made to the artillery district commander.

PRACTICE AWAY FROM HOME STATIONS.

39. Artillery practice will not be had in harbors where there may be danger from ricochet shots. In such case if it be dangerous to carry out any of the provisions of this order, report to that effect will be made to the department commander, who will annually send the companies concerned to a suitable station at which practice can be safely held at the prescribed ranges and, when practicable, with the same caliber of pieces and kinds of carriages to which the companies are regularly assigned for drill and practice at their home stations.

All models of disappearing carriages for the same caliber of guns are considered the same kind of carriage.

40. In such cases the department commander will announce his orders as soon after July 1st of each year as practicable to the commanding officers of the artillery districts concerned. The visiting artillery district commander will make timely requisitions for all necessary material, including ammunition, targets, plotting boards, and other accessories for the use of the companies of his command. These requisitions will be forwarded through the artillery district commander of the district in which the practice is to be held, who will make indorsement thereon as to the material which is on hand and can be supplied at the post. The visiting companies will use the regular installation at the post to which they are sent.

All fatigue, including the construction and manipulation of targets, the handling of ammunition, etc., pertaining to the practice of these companies will be performed as far as practicable by the troops of the visiting command. All accessory material requiring the labor of artillery officers or enlisted men for its preparation, such as charts on plotting boards, difference charts, range scales, etc., will be left by the visiting companies in the condition in which found, or replaced by them.

41. Companies having artillery practice away from home stations will fire not more than one-half of their allowance on any one day, and will complete and submit to the division commander the prescribed records for each series and will await his orders before firing another series.

42. When practicable all companies having service practice away from home stations will have their subcaliber practice at their home stations.

GENERAL RULES FOR ARTILLERY PRACTICE.

43. The artillery practice year is coincident with the fiscal year.

44. The artillery district commander will assign companies to particular batteries for drill and practice, and this assignment will not be changed from year to year, except that for guns of the same caliber and for mortars the number of shots fired from year to year shall be equalized for each piece, as nearly as practicable.

45. No practice either subcaliber or service will be held before the receipt of the order assigning companies to calibers for practice for the year.

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46. All service practice will be at moving targets.

47. The ranges at which practice shall be held are as follows:

For 15-pounders, at ranges from 800 to 1,500 yards.

For 4-inch, 4.7-inch, and 5-inch R. F. guns, from 2,000 to 4,000 yards.

For 6-inch guns, from 3,000 to 5,000 yards.

For 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch rifles, 5,000 to 7,500 yards.

For steel mortars, ranges covered by the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th zones, inclusive.

For cast-iron mortars, ranges covered by the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th zones, inclusive.

Firing in artillery practice except within the limits of ranges herein prescribed is prohibited.

TARGETS.

48. *For service practice.*—(1) Guns. For rapid-fire guns below 4-inch caliber, a material target will be used, size 6 feet high by 24 feet long, the middle third to be painted black. For all guns above 4-inch caliber two standard pyramidal targets supplied by the Ordnance Department will be used on all occasions of practice at moving targets. These targets will be on one towline, the first 200 yards and the second 800 yards from the tug. The second target from the tug will

always be aimed at until destroyed, when the first target will be used.

(2) Mortars. One standard pyramidal towing target will be towed at the end of a 500 yard towline. The towline will be buoyed at 250 yards from the tug. The standard target is the object on which the mortars are laid and which it is desired to hit.

For fixed targets the standard pyramidal target supplied by the Ordnance Department will be used.

TRIAL SHOTS.

49. Trial shots are not allowed for rapid-fire guns below 6 inches in caliber. For 6-inch, 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch rifles three trial shots are allowed for each company preceding the first service practice. These shots will be fired on the day of practice. If the powder for the second service practice is not of the same lot special authority will be requested for additional trial shots.

For 12-inch mortars three trial shots are allowed for each battery preceding each service practice. The term battery means each two pits in commission, or a single pit, where only one company at the post is assigned to mortars. They will be fired on the day of practice and as short a time preceding it as practicable. These three trial shots will be fired at the same elevation (about 55 degrees) and at a target located about the middle of the 8th zone for steel mortars, or of the 6th zone for cast-iron mortars. The fixed target should be located in the general direction in which it is proposed to fire the record shots.

The firing of trial shots and the observation and plotting of splashes will be made under the supervision of the fire commander.

Immediately preceding each trial shot the position of the target will be plotted by as many base lines as practicable. These base lines will also observe and plot the splash, and the observed deviations will be determined separately for each base line on its own plotting board and communicated to the battery commander. When practicable a tug will be anchored near the target in a position at right angles to the line joining piece and target, and the shorts and overs observed by the range observers with the range rake. The position of both

tug and target will be observed by all the position finders immediately before and after each shot.

All trial shots will, if practicable, be fired at fixed or anchored targets. The object of this provision is to make observations from a tug practicable and to aid the observers on shore in locating splashes.

If it be impossible to use fixed or anchored targets the trial shots will be fired at a point whose azimuth from each observing station is known. All instruments designated to take observations will be set at the azimuth of this point before the trial shot is fired.

50. For trial shots the powder will be of the same lot as that for the following service practice at moving targets.

Trial shots will be fired with deliberation, their object being to determine as far as practicable the constants of the powder, gun, carriage, etc.

The powder charges as put up will be carefully weighed upon removal from cartridge storage cases; pressure plugs will be used for each round and the pressures obtained recorded; and the elevation and azimuth setting should be verified before and after each round. Careful meteorological observations will be taken immediately before firing each trial shot from guns and the data furnished the company commander concerned.

BATTERY SERVICE PRACTICE AT MOVING TARGETS.

51. The fire commander is in immediate charge of the practice. He designates the target and gives the order to commence firing and to cease firing at the conclusion of the series, or at the commencement of each authorized interruption. He gives orders for the display of signals to the range party. Lateral deviations are determined under his direction by persons and instruments not belonging to the battery firing, preferably by the use of a telescopic sight on a Hagood tripod mount. The observer reads the number of divisions between the target and splash on the inner scale. The fire commander is accompanied by the timekeeper. He indicates the commencement and end of all authorized interruptions. Under his direction is determined the penalty for excessive length of time of exposure in battery of disappearing guns. He examines the reports of deviations, both lateral and longitudinal, determines any controversy concerning their correctness, and

transmits them to battery commanders concerned. The final reports of each battery's practice are submitted to him and by him forwarded as directed by notes on the forms, with a letter of transmittal embodying his remarks and criticisms.

52. At posts where no field officer is stationed, the artillery district commander will exercise the functions of fire commander in so far as the determination of the time record is concerned and notification as to when range and target are ready, and will detail the staff officers accompanying him to assist in duties required to be performed by an officer not belonging to the company firing. For practice at one-company posts the district commander will be accompanied by two staff officers.

53. Service practice will be held either by battery or by company, as follows:

By battery (1) at mortar batteries which have both pits in commission, and (2) at special practice authorized in connection with maneuvers or exercises.

By company in all other cases.

The record and plotting will be complete and separate for each unit practicing, battery or company, as the case may be, and for each class of piece and kind of ammunition.

After the trial shots, a pressure plug will be inserted in guns using fixed pressure plugs, which plug will be left undisturbed during the firing of the record shots, after which it will be taken out and the compression of the copper cylinder measured, the pressure corresponding to which will be taken as the maximum pressure for the record shots.

54. On each occasion of practice with 6-inch, 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch rifles, at least two guns of each battery will be fully manned, and the shots will be equally distributed between them. This paragraph will not be construed as directing volley fire. An interval of not less than twenty seconds between shots in adjacent emplacements will be made to insure identification and location of each shot by the range party.

55. On each occasion of practice with mortars, four mortars in the same pit, and one pit for each company assigned to the battery, will be fully manned and the record shots will be equally distributed among them. The record shots will be fired by pit volley, a separate prediction being made for each volley.

56. On each occasion of practice with rapid-fire guns below 6 inches in caliber all the guns in commission at the battery to be fired will be fully manned, and the fire commander will then designate two of the guns between which the shots allowed will be equally distributed.

57. Rapid-fire batteries in commission will, in advance of the permanent fire control installation, be connected with the primary station of the fire or mine command to which assigned and the range from the guns to the target will be given from that station before the command "Commence firing," and as often as practicable thereafter.

In cases where 6 inch batteries in commission are not equipped with a separate position finder, the range of the set forward point corrected as may be ordered by the battery commander as a result of observed deviations of trial shots will be communicated from the fire commander's station at the end of each observing interval as prescribed in the position finding service drill for 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch guns. No attempt will be made to determine or make corrections with the assistance of range tables.

58. When the same company is assigned to two different calibers of rapid-fire guns, practice will be held with the smaller caliber at the first occasion of practice and with the larger caliber at the second.

59. Powder charges will not be carried to the loading platform until the command "Load" of the chief of detachment for each round. In emplacements not provided with chain hoists all projectiles may be on the loading platform before the command "Commence firing" of the fire commander and the charges may be brought up by hand; the time to deliver four rounds by means of the regular installation will be taken after the firing and will be noted on forms 818 and 819. In emplacements provided with chain hoists, one projectile may be on the loading platform before the command "Commence firing" of the fire commander, and the powder charges and remaining projectiles will be delivered by the chain hoists starting at each command "Load" of the chief of detachment. The effect of this is to keep on the loading platform one more projectile than is needed at any given time.

60. The fire commander in battery practice may take station at the battery firing and will designate the target and give the

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order to commence firing, having first assured himself that all precautions for safety are understood or have been taken, and that the target is on a course which will probably permit the entire series to be fired without interruption.

61. The time to fire a series will begin at the command "Commence firing" of the fire commander, and expires at the discharge of the last shot of the series, which in service practice is the number of record shots allowed for each occasion of practice.

62. The total time for any series equals the number of record shots or mortar pit volleys fired multiplied by the allowance for one shot or volley, as shown in the following table:

For the 12-inch rifle, barbette carriage, three minutes.

For the 12-inch rifle, disappearing carriage, two minutes.

For the 10-inch rifle, barbette carriage, three minutes.

For the 10-inch rifle, disappearing carriage, one minute and thirty seconds.

For the 8-inch rifle, barbette carriage, two minutes.

For the 8-inch rifle, disappearing carriage, one minute and thirty seconds.

For the mortars, three minutes for each pit volley.

For the 6-inch rapid-fire guns, pedestal mount, thirty seconds.

For the 6-inch rapid-fire guns, disappearing mount, thirty seconds.

For the 5-inch, 4.7-inch, 4-inch and 15-pounder rapid-fire guns, twenty seconds.

If a longer time is consumed for firing a series the number of hits will be multiplied by a *time factor* which will be obtained in the following manner: Let T = prescribed time for the series; t = time consumed in excess of prescribed time; then time factor = $\frac{T-t}{T}$.

63. Deductions of time during the firing of a series will be allowed only for obscuration of target from the gun or observing stations, the interference of vessels, interruption of communication, failure of a primer, and delay due to breaking of material. No deduction will be made on account of defects in material except on the approval of the Chief of Artillery, and to expedite rendition of reports the facts in the case may be reported direct to him immediately after the practice, but the defects causing delay and the estimated amount of time due to them will be reported on Forms 818 and 819.

64. Disappearing guns must not be tripped a longer time in advance of firing than necessary. If this period exceeds twenty seconds, counting from the time the gun is in battery, all time in excess will be added to the computed time of the series before applying the time factor, provided that the failure to fire within the time provided after tripping is directly attributable to the personnel and not to interruptions allowed under preceding paragraph.

65. Volley firing, except at mortar batteries, at service practice is prohibited. An interval of not less than twenty seconds between successive shots from any gun battery, except 15-pounder batteries, will be made to insure identification and location of each shot by the range party. In any case in which the interval between successive shots is less than that prescribed one minute will be added to the computed time of the series before applying the time factor.

66. The timekeeper will be an officer not belonging to the company firing. He will be assisted by an officer or noncommissioned officer, provided with a stop watch, who will note the time from the arrival of disappearing guns in battery until they are fired. The timekeeper will note the time of each event indicated on Form 833.

67. The battery commander will not, during the firing, plot or be furnished with the plotting of splashes of record shots. His position finder will be used for the exclusive purpose of locating the target.

68. Great care will be taken at mortar batteries to be certain that all mortars in a pit have been discharged before the gun sections return to their posts. Each chief of gun detachment will watch his own mortar and will be required to report to the emplacement officer that his mortar was discharged before any man is allowed to return to the pit. In case a mortar is not discharged "Time out" will immediately be ordered and no man will return to the pit until ten minutes have elapsed or the mortar is discharged.

If two or more mortars are discharged no allowance except for failure of primer will be made. The discharge of two or more mortars will be considered a volley for the purpose of record, and the ammunition allowance will be reduced by a number of rounds equal to the number of mortars which were not discharged.

If only one mortar or no mortar is discharged the rounds remaining may be expended in a volley of three or four shots as the case may be, but the additional time required to do this will be charged to the company firing. Time out for failure of primers will be allowed in this as in other cases.

OBSERVATION OF SPLASHES.

69. The location of shot splashes with respect to the actual position of the target at the instant of splash will be determined under direction of the fire commander and invariably by persons not belonging to the company firing. The range party on the tug observes and reports the overs and shorts. The deflection observers on shore observe and report the rights and lefts.

Observations on the tug.

For record practice with guns, except 15-pounders, there shall be three observers on the tug, each provided with a range rake, who will work under the supervision of an officer not belonging to the company firing. The officer will record the results of the observations as soon as they are made, making notes at the same time of his judgment of their reliability in case of material discrepancies, for the information of the fire commander.

For record practice with mortars observations on the tug will be conducted as follows:

Any shot striking at or within 25 mils. (paragraph 177, Drill Regulations, Coast Artillery, provisional) to right or left of line joining tug and target will be reported. Two of the three range observers must agree that one or more shots of any volley did so strike, otherwise it will be assumed that none did.

Observations on shore.

For record practice with guns, except 15-pounders, there shall be one observer on shore equipped with a telescopic sight and stationed as near to the battery as practicable. The sight may be mounted on a Hagood tripod mount. If such a mount is not available, the sight may be held in the observer's hand, or, if there be a gun in the same battery not in use for the practice, the sight may be mounted in its seat at this gun. The observer will track the target as soon as "Commence firing" is ordered with the vertical cross-wire set at the center of

the deflection scale. When a shot strikes he will immediately cease tracking and cover the splash with the vertical cross-wire. He will note and report the angular deflection observed and immediately resume tracking as before.

For record practice at mortars there shall be two observers on shore equipped as in the case of gun batteries. They will proceed as prescribed for observers at gun batteries, except that one observer will note and report the angular deviation of the shot striking farthest to the right, and the other that of the shot striking farthest to the left.

70. For the 15-pounders, hits (including ricochets), on the float or vertical screen of the prescribed target are alone counted.

DETERMINATION OF HITS.

71. For all guns, except 15-pounders, the average of the deviations determined by the range observers on the tug will be assumed to be the deviation in the direction normal to line joining tug and target. The fire commander may, however, discard the deviation reported by any range observer upon satisfactory representation by the officer in charge of range party on the tug that the observation was probably materially erroneous.

The deviation observed by the range party and the deviation observed on shore will be reduced to yards by calculation, not graphically, before being used for the determination of hits.

To plot the shots draw through the point occupied by the target at the instant of splash a tangent to the track of the target on the plotting board, also a line joining this point with the plotted position of the observer on shore. Through the same point draw lines perpendicular to the tangent and to the line joining observer and target. The latter lines are the axes of coordinates and will always be drawn and used in the plotting. These axes of coordinates will not be assumed to be at right angles. The shot having been plotted, the longitudinal and lateral deviations measured respectively on the line joining *gun* and target and on the line perpendicular thereto through the target will be determined. These rectangular coordinates will be reported on Forms 818 and 819.

The hypothetical target for the estimation of hits will be an imaginary ship 145 yards long, 25 yards beam, 8 yards free-board. The axis of the ship is assumed to be always tangent

to the track of the target on the plotting board. The line from directing gun or point to the visible target is assumed to intersect the ship's axis at its middle point. The visible target is assumed to be at the middle point of the ship's axis.

To determine whether a shot is a hit or not, proceed as follows: Draw lines through the extremities of the ship's axis from directing gun or point, prolonging them in both directions. Find the danger space in yards for the range.

The danger space will be computed as follows: Add to the angular height of the gun (ϵ) the angle of fall (ω) for the range sent to the directing gun for the shot considered. (This angle of fall will be taken from the official range table for the service velocity of the gun used.) Multiply the cotangent of the sum of these angles by the height of the freeboard in yards. The result is the danger space in yards; or—

$$D = F \cot (\omega + \epsilon) = 8 \cot (\omega + \epsilon).$$

Lay off this distance on each of the lines drawn through the bow and stern of the ship, from these points in the direction of fire. Through the points thus determined draw a line parallel to the water line of the farther side of the ship. A shot whose plotted position is within the area bounded by the last described line, the lines drawn through the extremities of the ship's axis, and the near water line of the ship, is a hit and counts 1.

Assuming the angle of rise to be equal to twice the angle of fall, the danger space for ricochets is $\frac{1}{2} D$. Lay off $\frac{1}{2} D$ on each of the lines drawn through the bow and stern of the ship, and from these points in a direction opposite to the direction of fire; through the points thus determined draw a line parallel to the water line of the near side of the ship. A shot which plots within the area bounded by the last described line, the near water line of the ship, and the lines through the extremities of the ship's axis, is considered a ricochet hit and counts 1.

72. For mortars, if two of the three range observers on the tug report that a shot of any salvo did strike within 25 mils. of the target the lines defining the extreme deviations for this salvo as reported by the observers on shore will be drawn on the plotting board of the battery firing, and a line bisecting the angle between them will also be drawn. If the bisecting line crosses the track of the target within $72\frac{1}{2}$ yards (one-half of 145 yards, the length of the ship's axis) of the position occupied

by the target at the instant the salvo struck the water, measured on the plotted track of the target, one hit will be counted for that salvo.

73. *For 15-pounders, each hit (paragraph 70) counts 1.*

SCORING.

74. The number of hits multiplied by the time factor (paragraph 62) is the score.

MODIFICATION OF PRACTICE REGULATIONS.

75. If circumstances should arise under which it would seem impracticable to carry out the instructions as given for coast artillery practice, a prompt report to this effect will be made to the artillery district commander, who will in case matters reported are beyond his power to remedy, forward the same with recommendations in the case for the action of higher authority.

SUBCALIBER PRACTICE.

76. On account of the effect of the wind on the target and on the light projectile subcaliber practice will be held as far as practicable on bright, clear, calm days.

77. For subcaliber practice the methods of locating targets and determining ranges prescribed for service practice will be used.

78. Subcaliber ammunition will be expended if practicable at the batteries to which the companies have been assigned for service artillery practice and will be limited to the allowance announced in General Orders from the War Department.

79. The artillery district commander will by temporary transfers of subcaliber tubes have two pieces in each gun battery equipped for this practice; for company practice at mortar batteries the four mortars in the pit to which the company practicing is assigned, will be fitted with subcaliber tubes; for fire-command practice the available mortar subcaliber tubes will be equally distributed among the pits in commission.

80. The practice at gun batteries will consist of—

Preliminary practice at fixed targets.

Gunners' practice at fixed targets.

Company practice at moving targets.

Fire command practice at moving targets.

The practice at mortar batteries will consist of—

Preliminary practice at fixed targets.

Company practice at moving targets.

Fire command practice at moving targets.

81. The fire commander will personally supervise all the practice. He will conduct the fire-command practice from his station. The company commander will conduct the company practice and the practice at fixed targets. The target will be designated and the time interval between shots will be fixed by the officer conducting the practice.

82. No time limit is fixed for subcaliber practice; but a sufficient time interval will be allowed to elapse between rounds with 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch guns, so that the same data can not be used for successive shots, and between rounds with mortars, so that splashes may be observed for the determination of hits.

83. The ranges for the 6-pounder and 15-pounder practice will be from 500 to 1,000 yards; for other direct fire pieces from 1,200 to 2,500 yards, according to conditions of water and light, and for mortars from 2,500 to 4,500 yards. As great a variation of range as practicable will be used in firing each score and in firing different scores at the same practice.

NOTE. For subcaliber practice with these limits of range the scale of the plotting board may be advantageously changed from 1 inch equals 500 yards to 1 inch equals 100 yards. The minimum range of no ricochet for the 1-pounder subcaliber ammunition is about 2,500 yards.

84. One-third of the annual allowance of subcaliber ammunition and no more will be expended in any quarter (paragraph 38). Subcaliber ammunition not expended in one quarter is not available for future occasions. The allowance of subcaliber ammunition for companies that can not have subcaliber practice at their home stations will be one-third of the annual allowance and will be expended immediately preceding the first series of their service practice away from home stations.

SUBCALIBER TARGETS.

85. (1) Guns. For all subcaliber practice a material vertical target 6 by 24 feet will be used, the middle third to be black.

(2) Mortars. For mortar subcaliber practice a circular hypothetical target 100 yards in diameter, with the material target at the center, will be used.

(3) Fixed targets. The gun target will be used, moored fore and aft, broadside to the battery firing. For fire-command practice two or more gun targets will, when practicable, be used on the same towline, separated about 100 yards.

FIRE-COMMAND PRACTICE.

86. For fire-command practice, all the batteries of the fire command in commission will be manned at the same time, and the course of the targets so directed that they will be within the field of fire for subcaliber ranges of all the batteries as far as practicable. The fire commander will distribute and concentrate the fire of the batteries and will designate the number of rounds to be fired during the time the batteries are assigned to a particular target. This practice will be conducted on days devoted to fire command drill, and will be distributed as equally as may be through the quarter.

87. The total allowance of ammunition for each occasion of practice (paragraph 84) for each kind of piece will be divided as follows:

(1) Rapid-fire guns. At least one-third will be reserved for fire-command practice.

Preliminary practice and gunners' practice, one-third.

Company practice, one-third.

(2) Other guns and mortars.

(a) At least one-half will be reserved for fire-command practice.

(b) For preliminary practice, 20 rounds.

(c) For gunners' practice at fixed targets, one score for each gunner.

(d) Any allowance remaining will be expended in company practice at moving targets.

In the preliminary practice the company commander will fire not more than ten rounds from each gun at fixed target for the purpose of testing the ammunition and of adjusting the subcaliber tube, sight, etc.

88. A score for the gunners' practice will consist of ten shots for the 6-pounder and 15-pounder, and of five shots for the other pieces.

PRACTICE AT MORTAR BATTERIES.

89. The total allowance for each occasion of practice (para-

graph 84), and for each company assigned to mortars will be divided as follows:

- (a) At least one-half will be reserved for fire-command practice.
- (b) The remainder will be expended in preliminary firing (trial shots at fixed targets), and in company practice in such proportion as may be ordered by the artillery district commander.

The order of fire will be by single piece in any one pit.

SUBCALIBER AMMUNITION SERVICE FOR MORTARS.

90. In order to simulate the service of ammunition at mortar pits, the following procedure will be observed:

The range limits of the mortar subcaliber projectile, 2,750 to 4,250 yards (with 750 f. s. M. V., and corresponding elevations of 69° 45' and 47° 36') will be divided into five zones as follows:

- First, 2,750 to 3,100 (350 yards).
- Second, 3,100 to 3,350 (250 yards).
- Third, 3,350 to 3,600 (250 yards).
- Fourth, 3,600 to 3,850 (250 yards).
- Fifth, 3,850 to 4,250 (400 yards).

Circles will be described on plotting board about directing point of pit (or battery, if both pits are in commission) to show these zones graphically on board. (No overlaps.)

The chief plotter will call to battery powder charge for the zone in which prediction is made.

Ammunition will be stored (in service magazine) in stalls or compartments marked with number of zone.

All rules governing service of regulation service charges will apply.

DETERMINATION OF HITS.

91. Except for mortars, hits on the material target only will be counted. They will be counted at the completion of each score in preliminary and gunners' practice, but need not be counted in company practice until the completion of all the scores by one company or the conclusion of the day's firing. Hits made in fire-command practice will be counted at the conclusion of each day's firing.

As subcaliber practice with mortars is by piece, and as the target is a circular area, the location of shot splashes will be determined as prescribed for service practice *with heavy guns*.

In the company practice with guns using the 1-pounder sub-caliber tubessplashes will be observed as prescribed for service practice as a matter of instruction. This information will be recorded and furnished the company commander upon the completion of the day's firing.

VALUE OF HITS.

92. Each hit on the material target with direct fire pieces scores 1, and with mortars each hit in the circular target scores 1.

NIGHT FIRING.

93. Night firing at posts which have been supplied with the Semple shell tracer attached to subcaliber ammunition will be conducted as nearly as practicable according to the above rules

RECORDS AND REPORTS.

94. The fire commander will forward the reports of the companies of his fire command with a letter of transmittal, embodying his remarks and criticisms.

95. The accompanying blank forms will be used at all coast artillery stations where artillery practice may be held. Company commanders will procure these forms from district ordnance officers who will make requisition for same to the Ordnance Department.

CLASSIFICATION AND EXAMINATION OF GUNNERS.

96. The object of this examination is to ascertain in each company the qualified gunners. The examination will take place at the posts where the respective companies may be serving and will be separate for each company.

97. A candidate must be examined for classification as a second-class gunner before he can be examined as a first-class gunner, though both qualifications may be made at the same examination.

98. Any second class gunner may be permitted to compete, at any annual examination, for classification as a first-class gunner, and then will be examined only on the subjects pertaining to the examination for first-class gunners.

99. Any qualified gunner may, in the discretion of the company commander or higher authority, be required to requalify at any annual examination.

100. A master gunner's certificate carries with it the rating

of first-class gunner as long as the holder thereof remains continuously in the service.

101. A board of examination will be convened annually in each artillery district by the district commander to meet not earlier than one month after the expiration of the indoor instruction period. A separate board of examination may be convened for posts attached to an artillery district. Each board shall consist of three artillery officers selected with reference to their special qualifications for this duty, provided that when a member of the board is a company commander he will, during the examination of candidates from his company, be replaced by an officer of another company. Where travel is necessary the selection of an officer for this duty will be made subject to the approval of the authority competent to order the necessary journeys.

102. The examination of candidates for classification as gunners will include the following subjects, with value assigned to each as indicated:

SCHEDULES OF EXAMINATION FOR GUNNERS.

I. *All companies, except torpedo companies.*

For second-class gunners:

(a) Service of the piece.....	25
(b) Guns and carriages.....	25
(c) Powders, projectiles, primers, and fuzes....	25
(d) Cordage, gins, shears, jacks.....	25
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For first-class gunners:

(a) The azimuth instrument.....	20
(b) Duties in the plotting room.....	50
(c) Aiming and laying guns or mortars.....	15
(d) Elementary gunnery.....	5
(e) Warships	10
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The examination of candidates for first-class gunners of organizations assigned exclusively to rapid-fire guns not provided with separate position finding system will include the following head in lieu of that given above under (b):

(b) Subcaliber firing.....	50
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(See syllabus.)

The examination of candidates for first-class gunners will

be held as far as practicable at such places as the material or equipment pertaining to the subject in hand is located, *i. e.*, at the guns or in the plotting rooms.

The examination in subjects (a) and (b) and (c) for second-class gunners and in subjects (a), (b), (c), and (d), for first-class gunners will be confined to the material of the battery and its accessories to which the company is assigned. If no azimuth instrument is included in the battery equipment, the instrument used in the company instruction will be used in the examination.

II. *Torpedo companies.*

For second-class gunners:

(a) Ammunition, nomenclature, and service of guns assigned to the company of which the candidate is a member.....	15
(b) Material of and duties in the loading room (except electrical principles involved).....	40
(c) Material for and duties on the water.....	35
(d) Knots.....	10
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For first-class gunners:

(a) Care and preservation of mine material.....	20
(b) Handling high explosives	20
(c) Knowledge and use of the azimuth instrument and plotting board.....	20
(d) Batteries, generators, and searchlights assigned to the company of which candidate is a member.....	20
(e) Apparatus and operation of switchboard and care and use of telephone	20
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103. The qualifying mark for classification as first or second class gunner shall be in each case not less than an average of 75 per cent. Whenever during the progress of the examination of a candidate for either grade the sum of the marks received on subjects in which he has already been examined, increased by the maximum allowed for the remaining subjects, is less than 75 his examination will be discontinued.

104. Instruction in the course for first or second class gun-

ners will be given to such men as the company commander may consider capable of mastering the prescribed schedules.

105. Men not receiving instruction in the gunners' classes will perform such duties at their batteries or elsewhere during the hours for instruction as the company commander with the approval of the post commander may direct.

106. Each company commander will, previous to the commencement of the examination, submit to the adjutant a duly signed list, in triplicate, giving the full names, arranged in muster-roll order, of all the men of his company who are to be examined for first or second class gunners, with the statement that he believes that each man so presented is capable of qualifying in the class designated. These lists will be transmitted to the senior member of the board by the post commander.

107. The board will keep a record of its marks during the examination, but these marks will not be published in orders. The record of each company will be sent to the artillery district commander as soon as possible after the completion of the examination to be published immediately. The report of the board to be published in orders will contain the names of those who have qualified as first and second class gunners, and recite the date of the report which will be the date of the completion of the company examination in each case, the names being arranged for each organization, in each class in muster-roll order.

SYLLABUS OF EXAMINATION FOR GUNNERS IN ALL COMPANIES EXCEPT TORPEDO COMPANIES.

The following syllabus gives the outline of the scope of the examination of candidates for gunners in all companies except torpedo companies. While the indoor instruction in any subject need not be limited to what is indicated in this syllabus, the examination of candidates for gunners will be confined thereto.

SECOND-CLASS GUNNERS.

(a) Service of the piece.

Questions on the service of the piece and nomenclature of the piece to which organization is assigned. Examining boards are cautioned not to attach too much importance to

nomenclature, where a candidate shows a knowledge of the practical use of the part under examination.

(b) Guns and carriages :

Explain briefly how a breechblock of a heavy gun or mortar is dismantled; having a breechblock completely dismantled (not dismounted), how is it assembled and adjusted for firing; how old packing is removed from recoil cylinders and how they are repacked; how recoil cylinders are filled. Object, care, and use of throttling valve for guns and by-pass valve for mortars. Parts and surfaces of guns and carriages to be oiled; how much oil to use, and how it is used. Adjustment of grease cups. In the case of rapid-fire guns explain how to adjust firing mechanism, percussion, and electric (if so equipped).

(c) Powders, projectiles, primers, fuzes.

Examination: Name the kind of powder used in the pieces of battery to which organization is assigned; give the weights of service charges and corresponding muzzle velocities of these pieces; also the lowest and highest muzzle velocities of the steel and cast-iron mortar, if assigned to a mortar battery. Name the projectiles used in the pieces and give their weights. Tell how to distinguish from the painting of projectiles used, its kind, armor-piercing quality, and nature of bursting charge. Point out the cap, the ogive, the bourrelet, the body, the base, the rotating band, the fuze hole of a projectile.

In what kinds of projectiles are bursting charges and fuzes used; kind of fuze; why are projectiles capped? Name each kind of fuze prescribed for use in service projectiles used in the battery (ring resistance, centrifugal, combination, detonating, Ordnance Department pamphlet, No. 1727), tell how it is inserted to make a tight joint and how, in detail, each kind operates. Name the different kinds of primers used in the battery and explain how each operates—friction, electric, combination electric friction, percussion igniting. Reload a drill primer. (Ordnance Department pamphlet No. 1881.)

(d) Cordage.

How is the size of rope denoted? How do you serve a rope? Make a square knot; a bowline; a single sheet bend or weaver's knot; rolling hitch; blackwall hitch; round turn and two half hitches; clove hitch, cats-paw; sheepshank. Explain the use of each of the foregoing; make a long splice. What is a

strap or sling and what is its use? Make a shear lashing; a square lashing. Mousse a hook and explain its purpose.

Point out the shell, sheave, pin, strap of a block, and describe the different kinds (single, double, treble, snatch and tail blocks). Point out the running part; the standing part; the fall of a tackle.

Rig the following: Whip, whip upon whip, gun tackle, gun tackle on gun tackle, luff on luff, single burton. Power gained in the foregoing.

Gins. Name the different parts of a garrison gin. Explain briefly how it is assembled and raised (the drill is not required). How can the upper block be placed in position after the gin has been raised?

Shears. What do shears consist of, how are they rigged and raised, and what are they used for? How and when is the tackle made fast? How are shears held in position after being raised?

Hydraulic jacks. For what is the hydraulic jack used? What liquids are used in the jack? How is it filled and emptied? How is the jack cared for when not in use? Show how to use a jack in raising a heavy weight; in lowering a heavy weight; use of a claw in connection with the jack.

FIRST-CLASS GUNNERS.

(a) Azimuth instrument (pattern in use by the company, for instruction). Definition of angles, horizontal angles, vertical angle, angle measured by this instrument. Graduation of the instrument. Leveling and orientation of the instrument; focussing the telescope. Set up the instrument over a given point and orient it from sufficient data; direct the telescope successfully on a series of points and read their azimuths with accuracy. The examiner will cause the direction of the telescope to be changed and require the azimuth to be read accurately after each change.

(b) The plotting room.

1. Plotting board. Point out the following: Primary and secondary stations, directing gun, displacement, gun arm, travel scale, azimuth correction scale, tally dials, range correction scale.

Lay off a distance of so many yards on the board; conversely tell the distance in yards between two given points on the board.

The azimuth and range of a fixed target (from the primary station) being given, locate the corresponding point on the board, and give its azimuth and range, from the directing gun or directing point.

A pencil point dot being put on the board to indicate where a supposed shot fired at the target struck (point of fall), determine the longitudinal and lateral deviation in yards.

Plot a point at given azimuth angles from the base ends; conversely, a point being located on the board, determine its range and azimuth from the directing gun or point.

2. Range board. Show how to make the range corrections for atmosphere, wind, tide, muzzle velocity, travel, and how this range correction is applied to the range correction scale.

3. Deflection board. Show how to make deflection correction for wind, drift, and travel. Show how to make azimuth correction in Case III for wind, drift, travel, and how this correction is applied to azimuth correction scale.

What data are sent to the guns in Case I, Case II, and Case III?

The plotting board (for mortars). Point out the following: Primary and secondary stations, directing point, gun arm, drift device, B. C. station, powder zones, times of flight. Lay off a distance of so many yards on the board; conversely tell the distance between two given points on the board. The range and azimuth of a fixed point (from primary station) being given, locate the corresponding point on the board and tell the proper elevation and azimuth for firing at the point. A pencil point dot being put on the board to indicate where a supposed shot fired at the target struck (point of fall), determine the longitudinal and lateral deviations and indicate how to make corrections.

Plot a point at given azimuth angles from the base ends. Show how a target is tracked, how to get travel, how the time of flight is used, how to get predicted point, how to get set-forward point. What is the predicted point used for? What is the set-forward point used for? What data are sent to the pit and what to the B. C. station?

(c) Aiming and laying guns or mortars.

Rapid-fire guns. Set and read the sight for given elevations and deflections; aim the gun at some object; show how elevating and traversing handwheels are used; explain the use of the deflection scale for firing right and firing left. What is Case I?

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Mortars. Use of the gunner's quadrant, setting and reading the instrument, where and how placed when used with mortars. With the data received from the plotting room lay the piece. What is Case III?

Heavy guns*. Name the principal parts of the telescope sight; show how it is used; where placed and how used in Cases I, II, III. Its reading for elevation and deflection, least count of its scales. Place it on the bracket, level it; set it for given elevation and deflection and for correction for deviation. Explain how to use this sight as a quadrant. Difference between sight elevation and quadrant elevation.

What is Case I, Case II, Case III?

Use of difference chart. An example like the following will be given: Range 4,500 yards, azimuth 210. Put down the corrected range and azimuth.

Examination in the foregoing subject (c) to be confined to the authorized systems in use by the company during the year, and to the complete equipment of the battery to which the company is assigned.

(d) Elementary gunnery. The extent of this subject is here indicated. Axis of the bore; line of fire; line of sight; drift, muzzle velocity; quadrant elevation, sight elevation; angle of departure, angle of fall; jump, trajectory, time of flight.

(e) General features of warships. Questions will be asked under the following head: General features of battle ships (broad beam compared to length, low freeboard, general massive appearance, large turrets fore and aft, heavy guns, heavy armor, generally low speed).

Armored cruisers. (High freeboard, narrow beam compared to length, medium armor, medium turrets, medium guns, high speed).

Protected cruisers. (Fine lines, moderate size, no armor, medium guns, usually with shields, protective deck).

Torpedo boat destroyers. (High bow, generally great speed, light guns, no armor).

Torpedo boats. (Small size, high speed, no armor).

The object of this examination is to determine the candidate's familiarity with the different classes of ships.

* Heavy guns refer to 8-inch, 10-inch, and 12-inch rifles and other guns which are provided with a system of vertical or horizontal position finder.

The following head will take the place of subject (b) in the examination of candidates for first-class gunners of organizations assigned exclusively to rapid-fire guns:

(b) Subcaliber firing. The gun used will be the 6-pounder or 15-pounder rapid-fire gun with subcaliber attachment. The target used will be Target B, the mid-range target, page 20, Firing Regulations for Small-arms, 1904; range not under 500 yards; method of scoring as prescribed for small-arms practice.

During the test one member of the board will be at the target and will personally superintend the marking.

Preliminary shots will be fired under the direction of the examining board until three hits have been obtained with the same elevation and deflection. The center of impact of these three shots will be referred to the horizontal and vertical axis through the center of the target and carefully measured by a member of the board. This center of impact will not be within the 4 circle and may be changed by the board as often as they may deem necessary during the trial. These measurements with the elevation and deflection used will be given the candidate, who will be required to make corrections corresponding to the distance of the center of impact from the center of the figure. Each candidate will fire five shots, the piece being thrown off the target between the shots. Each shot will be marked as fired, the candidate making such changes in elevation and deflection as he may deem necessary before firing his next shot. The ratio of the candidate's score to the maximum score possible will determine the candidate's credits, the maximum credit being 15.

After this test the candidate to fire at the same target between the same limits of range, but without knowing the exact distance, five rounds under service conditions in the time allowed therefor, one minute and thirty seconds. Three sighting shots will be allowed each candidate preceding the latter test. The ratio of the candidate's score to the maximum score possible will determine the candidate's credit, the maximum credit being 20.

SYLLABUS OF EXAMINATION FOR GUNNERS IN TORPEDO COMPANIES.

The following syllabus gives the outline of the scope of the examination of candidates for gunner in torpedo companies. It is not intended that the theoretical instruction in any subject shall be limited to what is indicated in this syllabus, but the examination of candidates for gunners will be closely confined thereto.

SECOND-CLASS GUNNERS.

(a) Ammunition, nomenclature, and service of guns assigned to the company of which the candidate is a member.

Duties of the cannoneer and nomenclature of the piece to which assigned. (Note: If not assigned to a piece, or if the company is assigned to pieces of different calibers, the candidate will be examined upon the piece of the caliber selected by the company commander.)

Describe the ammunition and name all the projectiles used for the piece upon which examined.

(b) Material of and duties in the loading room (except electrical principles involved).

What apparatus is used in making a Turk's head? A telegraph joint? A joint to be used under water? Name all the parts of an assembled mine. Name all the parts of a compound plug and explain how to load one. What is a cut-out plug? Explain how to prepare a cut-out plug and box. What apparatus is used in preparing a compound plug? How are mines numbered? How are mooring ropes prepared, and what are the rules for lengths of mine cables and of mooring ropes?

(c) Material for and duties on the water:

What apparatus is taken out in the grand junction box boat? How and in what way are the cores of cable numbered? How is a mine together with its attachments arranged on a boat for planting? Name the apparatus on the boat used in planting and raising mines. What are the duties in the triple junction box boat in planting and in raising mines, and what precaution is taken so that cables may be distinguished when box is raised? Explain how soundings for a triple group are made.

(d) Knots.

Name the important knots used in mine work and explain how to make four of them. The mooring rope of a heavy weight can not pass over the winch, but lifting must be done with the fall; explain the method of proceeding.

FIRST-CLASS GUNNERS.

(a) Care and preservation of mine material:

Name the supplies necessary for cleaning mine material. Name those used in preserving it, stating for what each is used, and how certain ones (to be selected by the examiner) are applied.

(b) Handling high explosives:

What high explosives are used in mines? What are the important precautions to be taken in loading mines? How is frozen dynamite thawed? Where is the main supply of explosive kept, and how much is taken out at one time to the explosive house near the loading room?

(c) Knowledge and use of azimuth instruments and plotting board:

Names of important parts. Set up the instrument with given data. Read angles from instrument. Act as observer. Act as reader.

Describe a plotting board. Explain the method of computing the time from any plotted point to a mine. Act as plotter.

(d) Batteries, generators, and searchlights assigned to the company of which the candidate is a member.

Name the batteries used in mine work. Describe the casemate battery. What precautions are necessary in keeping it in order? What is used as the signal battery in mine work? Describe a searchlight. Describe parts of generators and important points to be observed in caring for them.

(e) Apparatus and operation of casemate switchboard, and care and use of telephone.

Name the apparatus of the switchboard. Explain how to fire a mine by judgment, and how to start the motor generator. Explain how to test mines and cable ends. How are boat telephones operated? Name the parts of fire-control telephones used in mine-commander stations, and give the principal points to be observed in operating them.

FORMS AND REPORTS REQUIRED.

No. of form.	No. of copies.	By whom prepared.	To whom forwarded.	Remarks.
817	1	Battery commander.	Through fire commander to artillery district commander.	Submitted each week during period of outdoor instruction. See paragraphs 54b and 54c, Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery (provisional).
818	4	Battery commander.	1 retained; 3 forwarded through artillery district commander; 1 direct to Chief of Ordnance, 2 direct to Chief of Artillery.	Separate copies for each series. Forwarded within five days after completion of practice. This form also used for report required by Army Regulations, par. 311, War Department, 1904.
819	3	Battery commander.	1 retained and filed in emplacement book; 1 forwarded to artillery district commander for district records; 1 forwarded through military channels to division commander for artillery inspector.	Separate copy for each series made out and forwarded at conclusion of practice.
820	1	Officer detailed by fire commander.	To battery commander for file.	Filed with retained copy of Form 819 for one year after close of practice year.
821	1	Range officer.		
822	1	Observer for lateral deviation.	To fire commander for use of officer detailed to determine hits.	Contains data pertaining to one battery only. Filed with retained copy of Form 819 for one year after close of practice year.
823	1	Officer in charge of range observer.		
824	1	Meteorological observer and tide observers.	To battery commander through fire commander.	Need not be preserved.
831	3	Fire commander.	Through district commander, 1 to Chief of Artillery, 1 to division headquarters, through department headquarters, 1 retained.	Submitted within five days after completion of subcaliber fire-command practice for quarter.

FORMS AND REPORTS REQUIRED—continued.

No. of form.	No. of copies.	By whom prepared.	To whom forwarded.	Remarks.
832	3	Company commander.	Through district commander, 1 to Chief of Artillery, 1 to division headquarters, through department headquarters, 1 retained.	Separate copy for each kind of piece used in subcaliber practice. Submitted in five days after completion of practice for quarter.
833	1	Timekeeper ..	To fire commander..	Submitted immediately after firing ceases for the day. Filed with retained copy of 819 for one year after close of practice year.
834	1	Battery officer.	To battery commander.	On conclusion of practice filed with retained copy of 819 for one year after close of practice year.
836	2	Postordnance officer.	Through district commander, 1 to Chief of Ordnance, 1 retained.	Submitted within five days after completion of practice for quarter.

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Form 817.

Battery Fort Report required by paragraphs 505, 506, Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery (Provisional) for the week ended 190 ..

Date.		No. of trial.	Serial No. of gun or mortar.	Guns.				Mortars.				Remarks.		
				Algebraic sum of wind and drift correction.	Reading of deflection scale at end of time of flight.	Algebraic difference of angular measure of lateral error.	Range.	Lateral error.	Azimuth of set forward point.	Azimuth of target at expiration of time of flight.	Difference = angular measure of lateral error.	Range.	Lateral error.	<p>Number of gunners tested in aiming during week</p> <p>Minutes spent in simulating artillery practice on battery drill days</p> <p>From trial No. to trial No. and from trial No. to trial No., both inclusive in each case, the course of the tug was such that its azimuth was increasing.</p> <p>From trial No. to trial No. and from trial No. to trial No., both inclusive in each case, the course of the tug was such that its azimuth was decreasing.</p>

Respectfully submitted,

.....
Captain, Artillery Corps,
Commanding Battery .



Form 817.

Battery Fort Report required by paragraphs 505, 506, Drill Regulations for Coast Artillery (Provisional) for the week ended 190--

Date.		Serial No. of gun or mortar.		Guns.				Mortars.				REMARKS.	
No. of trial.		Algebraic sum of wind and drift correction.	Reading of deflection scale at end of time of flight.	Algebraic difference of lateral error.	Range.	Lateral error.	Azimuth of net forward point.	Azimuth of target at expiration of time of flight.	Difference = angular measure of lateral error.	Range.	Lateral error.		
		o	o	o	Yds.	Yds.	o	o	o	Yds.	Yds.		Number of gunners tested in aiming during week -----
													Minutes spent in simulating artillery practice on battery drill days -----
													From trial No. to trial No. and from trial No. to trial No. both inclusive in each case, the course of the tug was such that its azimuth was increasing.
													From trial No. to trial No. and from trial No. to trial No. both inclusive in each case, the course of the tug was such that its azimuth was decreasing.

Respectfully submitted,

.....
Captain, Artillery Corps,
Commanding Battery



Form 817.

[1st indorsement.]

Fort....., 190.....

Fort....., 190.....

Respectfully forwarded to the adjutant approved.

Artillery Corps.

Comdg. Battery.....

Artillery Corps.
Fire Commander,..... F. C.

Weekly report of results of artillery instruction.

Form 818.

Id. of _____, Fort _____, Battery _____, Co., _____, Date _____
 Cal. of gun or mortar _____, Place of fabrication _____, Model _____
 (Cal., C. A. Carriage, disappearing or nondisappearing. Model _____, Case _____

No. of round for record.	Registered No. of piece.	Total serial No. of round fired from piece.	Registered No. of carriage.	Weight of projectile.	Range from gun of visible target at instant of splash—yards.	Number of hits.	Coordinates of shot splashes referred to position of visible target at instant of splash—yards.		Speed of target (miles per hour).	Setting of throwing valve.	Recoil in inches or notches.	REMARKS. Did gun, carriage, and other material function properly? Yes or no. If no, give particulars.
							Short or over — or +.	Right or left + or —.				
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Time factor,

A correct report:

Practice held as prescribed in War Department orders.

Corrected time of series,

hrs., min., sec.

Commanding _____, Co., C. A.

Artillery Corps,
Commanding District.



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Form 819.

[1st Indorsement.]

{ Company, Coast Artillery.
Companies.

Fire Command,

Port -----, 190..

Respectfully forwarded.

**RECORD OF
ARTILLERY PRACTICE.**

Battery -----

Port -----

District -----

Piece -----

Mount -----

Quarter, 190.. Date -----, 190..

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NOTES.

1. This report will be made out in triplicate at the conclusion of each series of service practice by Coast Artillery organizations; one copy to be retained for the emplacement book; one copy to be forwarded to the Artillery District Commander, and one copy to be forwarded through Artillery district and department commanders to the division commander, for the Artillery Inspector.
2. Recoil of disappearing carriages will be indicated by the notch engaged by the upper tooth of the crosshead pawls, counting from the top.
3. "Corrected" azimuths and ranges are those actually used in laying the gun.
4. "Plotted" azimuths and ranges are the actual azimuths and ranges to the target at the instant the shot strikes.
5. Arbitrary corrections to range due to

Attestation of the State of New York

Form 821.

Record for Battery Primary Station.

(Company, Coast Artillery.
) Companies.

Serial number of record shot or volley.	Azimuth from—		Range from primary station or directing gun.*	Actual azi- muth from gun at in- stant of splash.	Actual range from gun at in- stant of splash.	Corrected azimuth from gun sent to gun.†	Corrected range from gun sent to gun.	REMARKS.
	Primary station.	Secondary station.						
	c	c	Yards.	o	Yards.	o	Yards.	

* Battery Primary Station or directing gun, as the case may be.
† Gun azimuth recorded only for Case III. Gun deflection recorded for Case II.

Range Officer.

**RECORD FOR BATTERY
PRIMARY STATION.**

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Date, -----, 190--

Battery

{ Company, Coast Artillery.
Companies.

This form will be dated, filled in, and signed by the range officer or noncommissioned officer in charge of station and delivered to the fire commander.

Secondary stations may use this form for recording azimuths from such stations. This form may be used for plotting either targets or splashdown.

Any one of Form 821 will contain data pertaining to one battery only. The record will be filed with the retained copy of Form 419 to which it pertains, subject to call by superior authority for one year from the close of the artillery practice year in which the firing took place, after which it may be destroyed.

Form 822.

Observer's Record for Lateral Deviation.

Battery....., Date,....., { Company, Coast Artillery.
{ Companies.

No. of shot or volley.	Deviation, Hundredths of 1 degree.		Deviation, Yards.		REMARKS.
	Left.	Right.	Left.	Right.	
					The instrument used will preferably be a telescopic sight.

The deviations observed are those to the right and left of the line joining *observer and target* at instant of splash.
To compute the deviation in yards multiply the range in yards from *observer to target* obtained from the plotting board of the battery firing) by the tangent of the angular deviation observed. The range from observer to target can be conveniently determined by using a paper spanner constructed for the displacement of the observer's position from that of the primary station.
The determination of rectangular coordinates of shot splash with respect to *line of fire* is made on the plotting board of the battery firing in manner prescribed in Form 120.

Observer.

Form 822.

OBSERVER'S RECORD

FOR

LATERAL DEVIATION.

Date, _____, 190.

Company, Coast Artillery.

This form will be used in connection with such instrument or instruments as are provided for observing lateral deviations, preferably a telescopic sight for 8, 10, or 12-inch rifles.

The observer will date, sign, and deliver this report to the fire commander immediately on closing station for the day. Any one of Form 822 delivered will contain data pertaining to one battery only. This report will be filed with the retained copy of Form 819, subject to call by superior authority for one year from the close of the artillery practice year in which the firing took place.

Form 823.

Record of Range Observers.

Battery....., Date,....., 190....., (Companies,
Company, Coast Artillery.

Time.		No. of shot or volley.	For guns.		For mortars.		REMARKS.
II.	M.		S.	Mils observed with range rake. Beyond. Short.	Average of mils observed by three observers.	Deviation in yards with reference to line joining tug and target. Beyond. Short.	
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NOTE.—For guns, to compute the deviation in yards with reference to line joining tug and target multiply the average of the mils observed by the three observers by $\frac{1000}{\text{range}}$ of the length of the towline in yards.
Example.—Suppose the observers to have reported the splash 100, 105, and 110 mils, respectively, beyond the target, and suppose the towline to be 200 yards long. The average of the observations is 105 mils, $105 \times \frac{1000}{200} = 525$ yards.

NOT TO BE RECD

Officer in charge of Range Observers.

Form 823.

RECORD OF RANGE
OBSERVERS.

Date, -----, 190
Battery, -----

{ Company,
----- { Company, Coast Artillery.

This form will be used by the officer in charge of range observers for recording deviations in miles observed with range rake and the computed deviations in yards with respect to the proper target and the line joining gun and target.

The officer in charge of observers will date, sign, and deliver his report, accompanied by his *computations of deviations in yards*, to the fire commander as soon as practicable after the practice. Any one of Form 823 delivered will contain data relating to one battery only.

This report will be filed with the retained copy of Form 819 to which it relates for one year after the completion of the practice year in which the firing took place.

Form 824.

Meteorological Record.

Date, Company, Coast Artillery.

Atmosphere.		Force and direction of wind.		Tide.	REMARKS.
Barometer.	Thermometer.	Percentage.	Velocity, miles per hour.		

Observer.

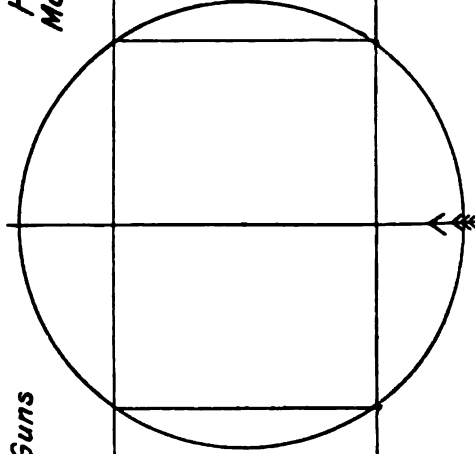
METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

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----- Company, Coast Artillery.

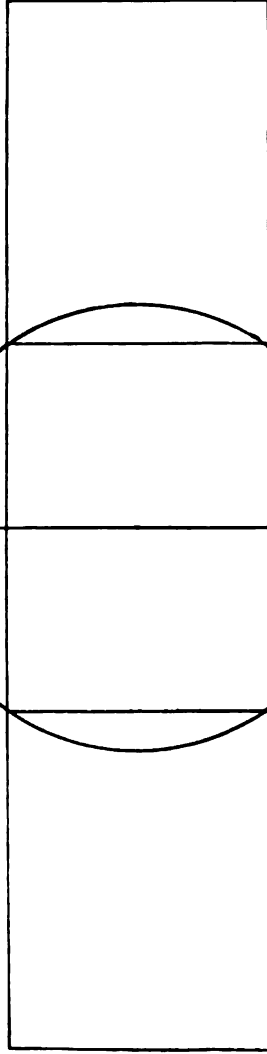
A selected central station will be used for meteorological observation; the wind velocity and azimuth and the atmospheric percentage will be recorded and sent to the primary station before the first shot, but will not be repeated unless there is some material change therein.

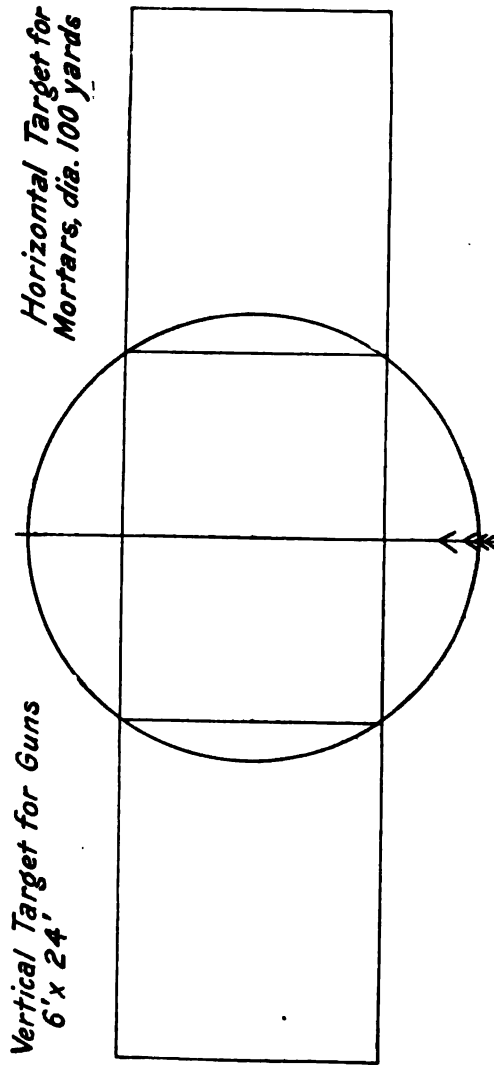
This form will be submitted to company commander through fire commander. It need not be preserved.

*Horizontal Target for
Mortars, dia. 100 yards*



*Vertical Target for Guns
6' x 24'*





Form 833.

TIMEKEEPER'S RECORD.

Date, 190.

..... Company, Coast Artillery.

Piece

Note.—To be submitted to the fire commander immediately after the firing ceases for the day.

Any one of Form 833 delivered will contain data relating to one battery only.

To be filed with the retained copy of Form 819 to which it pertains for one year after the close of the practice year in which report is made, subject to call by superior authority

Battery.....

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NOTE.—Data called for in all

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The recoil of nondisappearing

immediately after the conclusion of the practice for his information in preparing reports on Forms 818 and 819.
This report will be filed with the retained copy of Form 819 to which it pertains for one year after the end of the practice year, and is subject to call at any time by superior authority.

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srps,
Officer.

AMMUNITION.

Give complete markings.

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To be made out
under direction of
post commander.

This report is intended to cover all subcaliber firing at post during quarter covered by it.

Two copies will be made out, one to be retained and one forwarded through district commander within ten days after completion of firing direct to the Chief of Ordnance.

DO NOT FOLD.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 94. }

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, June 17, 1905.

Upon the arrival of the 4th Infantry in the United States on July 15, 1905, one battalion, to be selected by the regimental commander, will be assigned temporarily to station at the Presidio of San Francisco, California. Upon the departure for the Philippine Islands of the 13th Infantry on September 30, 1905, two companies of this battalion will take temporary station at Alcatraz Island, California, and two at Fort McDowell, California. Upon the arrival of the 22d Infantry, January 15, 1906, the battalion will be relieved from duty in the Department of California and will proceed to and take permanent station as follows: Two companies at Fort Slocum, New York, and two at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, relieving the garrisons of the 8th Infantry in time for the latter to sail from San Francisco on January 31, 1906.

Division and department commanders concerned will by concert of action arrange the necessary details of these movements and will promptly report hours of departure and arrival and strength of commands by telegraph to The Military Secretary of the Army.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, the Subsistence Department suitable subsistence, and the Medical Department proper medical attendance and supplies.

[1022347, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 95. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 17, 1906.

I.—Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 5, January 9, 1905; No. 10, January 16, 1905, and No. 11, January 17, 1905, Department of the Missouri, and of which Colonel JACOB A. AUGUR, 10th Cavalry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant BEVERLY A. READ, 6th Cavalry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—“Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War.”

(Thirty-one specifications.)

CHARGE II.—“Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War.”

(Seven specifications.)

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To each *specification*, from the 1st to the 31st, inclusive,
“Not guilty.”

To the CHARGE, “Not guilty.”

Charge II.

To each *specification*, from the 1st to the 7th, inclusive,
“Not guilty.”

To the CHARGE, “Not guilty.”

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, “Guilty.”

Of the 2d *Specification*, “Not Guilty.”

Of the 3d *Specification*, “Guilty, except the words ‘in the uniform of an officer of the United States Army,’ and of the excepted words not guilty.”

Of the 4th *Specification*, “Guilty, except the words ‘clad in the uniform of an officer of the United States Army,’ and of the excepted words not guilty.”

Of the 5th *Specification*, “Guilty, except the words ‘clad in the uniform of an officer of the United Army’ and ‘in night dress and,’ and of the excepted words not guilty.”

Of the 6th *Specification*, “Guilty.”

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Of the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'and particularly on the 10th, 11th, 17th, and 22d days of August, 1904,' substituting therefor the words 'between August 8th, 1904, and September 1st, 1904,' of the excepted words not guilty, of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 16th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 18th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 19th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 20th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 21st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 22d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 23d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 24th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 25th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 26th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 27th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 28th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 29th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 30th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 31st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'in the uniform of an officer of the United States Army,' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'in the uniform of an officer of the United States Army' and 'in night dress and' and of the excepted words not guilty."

Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'and particularly on the 10th, 11th, 17th, and 22d days of August, 1904,' substituting therefor the words 'between August 8th,

1904, and September 1st, 1904;' of the excepted words not guilty, of the substituted words guilty."

Of the 7th Specification, "Guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th U. S. Infantry, "*To be dismissed from the service of the United States and to be confined at hard labor in such penitentiary as the reviewing authority may direct for the period of two (2) years.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 15, 1905.

The sentence in the foregoing case of Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Regiment of Infantry, is approved and will be carried into execution.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

The United States Penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is designated as the place for his confinement. [1033546, M. S. O.]

II.—Before a general court martial which convened at Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 47, March 13, 1905, Department of the Missouri, and of which Colonel EDWARD B. PRATT, 30th Infantry, was president, and 1st Lieutenant BEVERLY A. READ, 6th Cavalry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Infantry.

CHARGE I.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

(Two specifications.)

CHARGE II.—"Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War."

(Two specifications.)

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st Specification, "Not guilty."

To the 2d Specification, "Not guilty."

To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the *CHARGE*, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty, except the words 'did break said arrest,' substituting therefor the words 'did leave the limits of his arrest;' of the excepted words not guilty, of the substituted words guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the *CHARGE*, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Infantry, "*To be dismissed from the service of the United States and to be confined at hard labor at such place as the reviewing authority may direct for the period of one (1) year.*"

The record of the proceedings of the court-martial in the foregoing case of Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Infantry, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 15, 1905.

The sentence in the foregoing case of Captain *George W. Kirkman*, 25th Regiment of Infantry, is approved and will be carried into execution.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Captain *Kirkman* ceases to be an officer of the Army from June 17, 1905. The United States Penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is designated as the place for his confinement.

[1023517, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 96.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 19, 1905.

The following Executive order is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 12, 1905.

The Executive order, dated March 26, 1901, establishing limits of punishment for enlisted men of the Army, under an act of Congress approved September 27, 1890, and which was published in General Orders, No. 42, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, March 26, 1901, is amended so as to prescribe as follows:

ARTICLE I.

In all cases of desertion the sentence may include dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of pay and allowances.

Subject to the modifications authorized in section 3 of this article, the limit of the term of confinement (at hard labor) for desertion shall be as follows:

SECTION 1. In case of surrender—

(a) When the deserter surrenders himself after an absence of not more than thirty days, one year.

(b) When the surrender is made after an absence of more than thirty days, eighteen months.

SEC. 2. In case of apprehension—

(a) When at the time of desertion the deserter shall not have been more than six months in the service, eighteen months.

(b) When he shall have been more than six months in the service, two and one-half years.

SEC. 3. The foregoing limitations are subject to modification under the following conditions:

(a) The punishment of a deserter may be increased by one year of confinement at hard labor in consideration of each previous conviction of desertion.

(b) The punishment for desertion when joined in by two or more soldiers in the execution of a conspiracy, or for desertion in the presence of an outbreak of Indians or of any unlawful assemblage which the troops may be opposing, shall not exceed dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for five years.

ARTICLE II.

Except as herein otherwise indicated, punishments shall not exceed the limits prescribed in the following table:

Offenses.	Limits of punishment.
UNDER 17TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Selling horse or arms, or both.....	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for three years.
Selling accoutrements	Four months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.

Offenses.	Limits of punishment.
UNDER 17TH ARTICLE OF WAR—Continued.	
Selling clothing	Three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Losing or spoiling horse or arms through neglect.	Four months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Losing or spoiling accoutrements or clothing through neglect.	One month's confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
UNDER 20TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Behaving himself with disrespect to his commanding officer.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
UNDER 24TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Refusal to obey or using violence to officer or noncommissioned officer while quelling quarrels or disorders.	Dishonorable discharge, with forfeiture of all pay and allowances and confinement at hard labor for two years.
UNDER 32D ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Absence without leave*—	
One hour or less	Forfeiture of \$1; corporal, \$2; sergeant, \$3; 1st sergeant or noncommissioned officer of higher grade, \$4.
For more than one to six hours, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$2; corporal, \$3; sergeant, \$4; 1st sergeant or noncommissioned officer of higher grade, \$5.
For more than six to twelve hours, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$3; corporal, \$4; sergeant, \$5; 1st sergeant or noncommissioned officer of higher grade, \$7.
For more than twelve to twenty-four hours, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$5; corporal, \$6; sergeant, \$7; 1st sergeant or noncommissioned officer of higher grade, \$10.
For more than twenty-four to forty-eight hours, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$5 and five days' confinement at hard labor. For corporal, forfeiture of \$8; sergeant, \$10; 1st sergeant or noncommissioned officer of higher grade, \$12; or, for all noncommissioned officers, reduction.
For more than two to ten days, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$10 and ten days' confinement at hard labor; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
For more than ten to thirty days, inclusive.	Forfeiture of \$30 and one month's confinement at hard labor; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
For more than thirty to ninety days, inclusive.	Dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and three months' confinement at hard labor.

* Upon trial for desertion and conviction of absence without leave only, the court may, in addition to the limit prescribed for such absence, award a stoppage of the amount paid as reward for the apprehension and delivery of the accused to the military authorities.

Offenses.	Limits of punishment.
UNDER 33D ARTICLE OF WAR—Continued.	
For more than ninety days...	Dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of all pay and allowances and nine months' confinement at hard labor.
UNDER 33D ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Failure to repair at the time fixed, to the place appointed, etc.—	
For reveille or retreat roll call and 11 p. m. inspection.	Forfeiture of \$1; corporal. \$2: sergeant. \$3; 1st sergeant. \$4.
For assembly of guard detail.	Forfeiture of \$5; corporal. \$8: sergeant. \$10.
For guard mounting (by musician detailed for guard).	
For guard mounting (by musician not detailed for guard).	
For assembly of fatigue detail.	
For parade.	
For inspection and muster, weekly or monthly inspection.	Forfeiture of \$2; corporal. \$3; sergeant. \$5.
For target practice.	
For drill.	
For stable duty.	
For athletic exercises.	
For post school.	
UNDER 38TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Found drunk—	
On guard.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
On duty as head cook.	Forfeiture of \$30.
On extra or special duty.	
At formation of company for drill or on drill.	
At target practice.	
At formation of company for dress parade or on dress parade.	
At reveille or retreat roll call.	Forfeiture of \$12; for noncommissioned officer, reduction and forfeiture of \$20.
At inspection and muster, weekly or monthly inspection.	
At inspection of company guard detail or at guard mounting.	
At stable duty.	
On fatigue.	
UNDER 40TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Quitting guard.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.

Offenses.	Limits of punishment.
UNDER 51ST ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Persuading soldiers to desert.....	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and one year's confinement at hard labor.
UNDER 60TH ARTICLE OF WAR.	
	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and four years' confinement at hard labor.
UNDER 62D ARTICLE OF WAR.	
Manslaughter.....	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and ten years' confinement at hard labor.
Assault, with intent to kill	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and ten years' confinement at hard labor.
Burglary.....	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and seven years' confinement at hard labor.
Forgery	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and four years' confinement at hard labor.
Perjury	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and four years' confinement at hard labor.
False swearing	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and two years' confinement at hard labor.
Robbery	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and seven years' confinement at hard labor.
Larceny or embezzlement of property*—	
Of the value of more than \$100.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and four years' confinement at hard labor.
Of the value of \$100 or less and more than \$50.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and three years' confinement at hard labor.
Of the value of \$50 or less and more than \$20.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and two years' confinement at hard labor.
Of the value of \$20 or less....	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and one year's confinement at hard labor.
Fraudulent enlistment, procured by false representation or concealment of a fact in regard to a prior enlistment or discharge, or in regard to conviction of a civil or military crime.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for one year.
Fraudulent enlistment, other cases of.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for six months.
Disobedience of orders, involving willful defiance of the authority of a noncommissioned officer in the execution of his office.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.

* In specifications to charges of larceny or embezzlement the value of the property shall be stated.

Offenses.	Limits of punishment.
UNDER 62D ARTICLE OF WAR— Continued.	
Using threatening or insulting language or behaving in an insubordinate manner to a non-commissioned officer while in the execution of his office.	Two months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Absence from fatigue duty.....	Forfeiture of \$4; corporal, \$5; sergeant, \$6.
Absence from extra or special duty.	Forfeiture of \$4; corporal, \$5; sergeant, \$6.
Absence from duty as company, general mess, or hospital head cook.	Forfeiture of \$10.
Introducing liquor into post, camp, or quarters in violation of standing orders.	Forfeiture of \$3; for noncommissioned officer, reduction and forfeiture of \$5.
Drunkenness at post or in quarters.	Forfeiture of \$3; for noncommissioned officer, reduction and forfeiture of \$5.
Drunkenness and disorderly conduct, causing the offender's arrest and conviction by civil authorities at a place within ten miles of his station.	Forfeiture of \$10 and seven days' confinement at hard labor; for noncommissioned officer, reduction and forfeiture of \$12.
Noisy or disorderly conduct in quarters.	Forfeiture of \$4; corporal, \$7; sergeant, \$10.
Drunk and disorderly in post or quarters.	Forfeiture of \$7; for noncommissioned officer, reduction and forfeiture of \$10.
Abuse by noncommissioned officer of his authority over an inferior.	Reduction, three months' confinement at hard labor, and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period.
Noncommissioned officer encouraging gambling.	Reduction and forfeiture of \$5.
Noncommissioned officer making false report.	Reduction, forfeiture of \$8, and ten days' confinement at hard labor.
Sentinel allowing a prisoner under his charge to escape through neglect.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period.
Sentinel willfully suffering prisoner under his charge to escape.	Dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and one year's confinement at hard labor.
Sentinel allowing a prisoner under his charge to obtain liquor.	Two months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period.
Sentinel or member of guard drinking liquor with prisoners.	Two months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period.
Disrespect or affront to a sentinel.	Two months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Resisting or disobeying sentinel in lawful execution of his duty.	Six months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Lewd or indecent exposure of person.	Three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10 per month for the same period; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Committing nuisance in or about quarters.	One month's confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of \$10; for noncommissioned officer, reduction in addition thereto.
Breach of arrest in quarters	

ARTICLE III.

The introduction and use of evidence of previous convictions is subject to the following regulations:

SECTION 1. Such evidence shall be limited, except as provided in section 5 of this article, to previous convictions by courts-martial of an offense or offenses within one year preceding the date of commission of any offense charged and during the current enlistment. These convictions must be proved by the records of previous trials and convictions, or by duly authenticated copies of such records, or by duly authenticated copies of the orders promulgating such trials and convictions. Charges forwarded to the authority competent to order a general court-martial, or submitted to a summary, garrison, or regimental court-martial, must be accompanied by the proper evidence of previous convictions.

SEC. 2. Whenever a soldier is convicted of an offense for which a discretionary punishment is authorized, the court will receive evidence of previous convictions (see section 1 of this article), if there be any. General, regimental, and garrison courts-martial will, after a finding of guilty, be opened for the purpose of ascertaining whether there is such evidence and, if so, of receiving it.

SEC. 3. *Previous convictions in connection with inferior court offenses.*—When a soldier is convicted of an offense the punishment for which under Article II of this order or the custom of the service does not exceed three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of three months' pay, the punishment so authorized may, upon proof of previous convictions (see section 1 of this article) be increased one-half for each of such convictions up to the limit of three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of three months' pay, and, for noncommissioned officer or first-class private, reduction in addition thereto. Upon proof of five or more of such convictions, if not less than five of them were followed by sentences, in each case, of not less, substitutions considered (see Article VII), than forfeiture of \$10 or confinement at hard labor for 30 days, the limit of punishment shall be dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for three months; but if dishonorable discharge be not adjudged, the limit shall be three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of three months' pay, and, for a noncommissioned officer or first-class private, reduction in addition thereto.

SEC. 4. *Previous convictions in connection with general court-martial offenses.*—When the conviction is for an offense punishable under Article II of this order or the custom of the service with a greater punishment than three months' confinement at hard labor and forfeiture of three months' pay, such punishment shall not be increased by reason of previous convictions, except as hereinafter specified; but evidence of those described in section 1 of this article will be submitted to the court to aid it to determine upon the proper measure of punishment subject to the limit already authorized. Upon proof of five or more of such convictions, if not less than five of them were followed by sentences, in each case, of not less, substitutions considered (see Article VII), than forfeiture of \$10 or confinement at hard labor for 30 days, the court may, if the authorized limit does not include dishonorable discharge, adjudge dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of all pay and allowances with the authorized confinement.

SEC. 5. On a conviction of desertion evidence of convictions of previous desertions may also be introduced, irrespective of the enlistment or of the period which may have elapsed since such conviction or convictions.

SEC. 6. When a noncommissioned officer is convicted of an offense not punishable with reduction, he may, upon proof of one previous conviction within the prescribed period (see section 1 of this article), be sentenced to reduction in addition to the punishment already authorized.

SEC. 7. First-class privates may be reduced to second-class privates in all cases where for like offenses on the part of noncommissioned officers their reduction in grade is now authorized.

ARTICLE IV.

When a soldier shall, on one arraignment, be convicted of two or more offenses, none of which is punishable under Article II of this order or the custom of the service with dishonorable discharge, but the aggregate term of confinement for which, as specified in said article, may exceed six months, dishonorable discharge with forfeiture of pay and allowances may be awarded in addition to the authorized confinement.

ARTICLE V.

If, in any case where the limit of punishment is dishonorable discharge, forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor for a stated number of months, dishonorable discharge be not adjudged, the limit of forfeiture shall be all pay due and to become due during the prescribed limit of confinement.

ARTICLE VI.

This order prescribes the *maximum* limit of punishment for the offenses named, and this limit is intended for those cases in which the severest punishment should be awarded. In other cases the punishment should be graded down according to the extenuating circumstances. Offenses not herein provided for remain punishable as authorized by the Articles of War and the custom of the service.

ARTICLE VII.

Substitutions for punishment named in Article II of this order are authorized at the discretion of the courts at the following rates:

Two days' confinement at hard labor for one dollar forfeiture, or the reverse; one day's solitary confinement on bread and water diet for two days' confinement at hard labor or for one dollar forfeiture; provided that a noncommissioned officer not sentenced to reduction shall not be subject to confinement; and provided that solitary confinement shall not exceed fourteen days at one time, nor be repeated until fourteen days have elapsed, and shall not exceed eighty-four days in one year.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

This order shall become operative in the United States and contiguous Territories thirty days after its date, and elsewhere within the jurisdiction of the United States sixty days from its date.

[1025230, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 97. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 19, 1905.

I.--By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 78, War Department, April 29, 1904, as relates to additional strength of the Army, as amended by General Orders, No. 27, February 17, 1905, and by General Orders, No. 56, April 7, 1905, War Department, is further amended to read as follows:

Additional strength: For 4 troops of cavalry, 2 corporals and 33 privates each, and 12 companies of infantry, 2 sergeants, 2 corporals, and 44 privates each, when stationed at the Infantry and Cavalry School and Staff College; for 12 troops of cavalry, 2 corporals and 18 privates each, when stationed at the School of Application for Cavalry and Field Artillery; for 4 troops of cavalry at Fort Myer, Virginia, 2 corporals and 18 privates each; for the 1st and 2d Regiments of Infantry, 1 sergeant to each company; for the 8th Regiment of Infantry, 1 corporal to each company; for Companies A, B, C, D, E, and F of the 27th Regiment of Infantry, 1 corporal to each company; for the 1st and 15th Regiments of Cavalry, 1 corporal to each troop; for the 1st Battalion of Engineers (Companies A, B, C, and D), 1 sergeant to each company; for the company of infantry on duty as legation guard, Peking, China, 2 sergeants, 4 corporals, and 79 privates. Total, 1,191. [1022174, M. S. O.]

II.--By direction of the President, General Orders, No. 56, War Department, April 7, 1905, is modified so as to fix the number of privates in each infantry company on duty at the Infantry and Cavalry School and Staff College at 92 instead of 93.

[1022174, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 98. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 19, 1905.

Before a general court-martial which convened at Fort Preble, Maine, pursuant to Special Orders, No. 101, May 2, and No. 106, May 8, 1905, Department of the East, and of which Lieutenant Colonel ALEXANDER RODGERS, 15th Cavalry, was president, and Captain WILLIAM T. JOHNSON, 15th Cavalry, judge advocate, was arraigned and tried—

1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps.

CHARGE I.—“Causing false and fraudulent claims to be made against the United States, in violation of the 60th Article of War.”

Specification 1st—“In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of Samuel W. Joy, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, with his Quartermaster accounts, and marked ‘Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,’ being Voucher No. 1 to his Abstract B pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 28, 1905; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$73.85; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said Joy for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States by drawing and delivering to the said Joy, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479201, for the amount of \$73.85. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905.”

Specification 2d—“In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time

Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of F. W. Joy, of Portland, Maine, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher No. —, dated February 28, 1905, pertaining to his Abstract B, March, 1905, signed by F. W. Joy, said voucher containing a claim against the United States for the amount of \$73.00, which claim, on being presented for payment, was ordered paid from money of the United States, by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* drawing and delivering to the said Joy his official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479205, for the amount of \$73.00; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said Joy for supplies and services as specified in said voucher. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the months of February and March, 1905."

Specification 3d—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor), of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts, and marked 'Barracks and Quarters 1903-1904' being Voucher No. 10 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$145.05; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor), for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor), in payment of said claim, his

(*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 572389, for the amount of \$145.05. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 4th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of Frank M. Brown, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 21, 1905; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$567.48; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said Brown for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States by drawing and delivering to the said Brown, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479184, for the amount of \$567.48. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 5th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of Frank M. Brown, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts, and marked 'Bar-racks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 1 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 28, 1905; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$159.95; said

claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said Brown for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said Brown, in payment of said claim, his (*Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479202, for the amount of \$159.95. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the months of February and March, 1905."

Specification 6th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts, and marked 'Incidental Expenses F Y 1904,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$82.50; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said S. H. & A. R. Doten, for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said S. H. & A. R. Doten, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 572876, for the amount of \$82.50. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 7th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States, in favor of S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and

fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts, and marked, 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1903-1904,' being Voucher No. 11 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904, said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$69.92; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said S. H. & A. R. Doten for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said *McC. Smith* from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said S. H. & A. R. Doten, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 572390, for the amount of \$69.92. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 8th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts, and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated August 11, 1904; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$138.00; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said S. H. & A. R. Doten for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said S. H. & A. R. Doten, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 572413, for the amount of \$138.00. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of August, 1904."

Specification 9th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts and marked 'Barracks & Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated January 12, 1905; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$143.50; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said S. H. & A. R. Doten for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States by drawing and delivering to the said S. H. & A. R. Doten, in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479157, for the amount of \$143.50. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of January, 1905."

Specification 10th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher (submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster Accounts), marked 'Barracks & Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated March 2, 1905, signed S. H. & A. R. Doten per H. M. Bailey, Treasurer; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$146.75, which claim on being presented for payment was ordered paid from money of the United States, by the said 1st

Lieutenant *McC. Smith* drawing and delivering to the said H. M. Bailey, Treas. of S. H. & A. R. Doten, his official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479206, for the amount of \$146.75; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said S. H. & A. R. Doten for supplies and services as specified in said voucher. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of March, 1905."

Specification 11th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post of Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of the Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his Quartermaster accounts and marked 'Regular Supplies F Y 1905,' being Voucher No 2 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated December 22, 1904; said voucher containing a claim upon the United States for the amount of \$79.40; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that the amount claimed was not justly due the said Edwards & Walker Co. for supplies and services as specified in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said 1st Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said Edwards & Walker Co., in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 572497, for the amount of \$79.40. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of December, 1904."

Specification 12th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made certain false and fraudulent claims against the United States in favor of The Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be

certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$97.68, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$45.82, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of January, 1905."

Specification 9th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$78.40, or more, of said money, by allowing a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$146.75 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905', being voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated March 2, 1905); and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479206 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$146.75, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$68.35, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$78.40, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of March, 1905."

Specification 10th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time

in said voucher, though ordered paid by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said Portland Rubber Co. in payment of said claim, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479182, for the amount of \$4.80. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 14th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did cause to be made certain false and fraudulent claims against the United States in favor of F. H. Marshall & Co., of Portland, Maine, certifying to the correctness and justness thereof, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit:

The claims represented by those certain vouchers, submitted by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* with his quartermaster accounts and marked respectively:

'Barracks & Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract B, dated February 28, 1905;

'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3 to his abstract B, dated January 31, 1905;

all pertaining to the fiscal year 1905; said vouchers containing claims upon the United States respectively for the amounts of \$96.10 and \$98.75, said claims being false and fraudulent, in that the amounts so claimed were not justly due the said F. H. Marshall & Co. for supplies and services therein specified, though ordered paid by the said 1st Lieutenant *McC. Smith* from money of the United States, by drawing and delivering to the said F. H. Marshall & Co. in payment of said claims, his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York No. 479283, for the amount of \$194.85. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

CHARGE II.—"Violation of the 60th Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful dis-

bursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$5.50 or more of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by one Samuel W. Joy, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$73.85 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 1 to his abstract B pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated February 28, 1905); and by allowing said claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said Joy his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479201 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$73.85; he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$68.35 or less was justly due said Joy for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said Joy said amount of \$5.50 and diverting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, or after."

Specification 2d—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law the amount of \$108.81, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor) of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$145.05 (said claim

being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters 1903-1904,' being Voucher No. 10 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, dated June 30, 1904); and by allowing said claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to the said J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor) his, *Smith's*, official check No. 572389 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$145.05, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent, and that of the amount claimed but \$36.24, or less, was justly due said J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor) for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said J. B. Fickett & Co. (Frank M. Brown, proprietor) said amount of \$108.81 or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of July, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$147.73, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by one Frank M. Brown, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$587.48 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated February 21, 1905); and by allowing said claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said Brown his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479184 on the Assistant Treasurer of

the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$567.48, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the time of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$419.75, or less, was justly due said Brown for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim, then and there receiving from the said Frank M. Brown said amount of \$147.73, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 4th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$39.52, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justice of a certain claim against the United States made by one Frank M. Brown, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$159.95 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being voucher No. 1 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated February 28, 1905); and by allowing such claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said Brown his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479203 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$159.95, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$120.43, or less, was justly due said Brown for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said Frank M. Brown said amount of \$39.52, or more, converting the same to his own use

and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the months of February and March, 1905."

Specification 5th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$55.66, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$82 50 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Incidental Expenses F Y 1904,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, dated June 30, 1904); and by allowing said claim and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 572876 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$82.50, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$26.84, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$55.66, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 6th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and

intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$48.02, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$69.92 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1903-1904' being voucher No. 11 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, dated June 30, 1904), and by allowing said claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 572390 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$69.92, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$21.90, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$48.02, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of July, 1904."

Specification 7th—"In that First Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$58.00, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$188.00 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher, submitted with his quartermaster

accounts marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated August 11, 1904); and by allowing such claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to the said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 572413 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$138.00, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$80.00, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$58.00, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of August, 1904."

Specification 8th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$45.82, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$143.50 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher, submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated January 12, 1905); and by allowing such claim, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479157 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$143.50, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such

certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$97.68, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$45.82, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of January, 1905."

Specification 9th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$78.40, or more, of said money, by allowing a certain claim against the United States made by S. H. & A. R. Doten, of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$146.75 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905', being voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated March 2, 1905); and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said S. H. & A. R. Doten his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479206 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$146.75, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$68.35, or less, was justly due said S. H. & A. R. Doten for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said S. H. & A. R. Doten said amount of \$78.40, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of March, 1905."

Specification 10th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time

quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$35.15, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of a certain claim against the United States made by The Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$79.40 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts marked 'Regular Supplies F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, dated December 22, 1904); and by allowing said claim and causing payment thereof to be made from said money by issuing to said Edwards & Walker Co. his (*Smith's*) official check No. 572497 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$79.40, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$44.25, or less, was justly due said Edwards & Walker Co. for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said Edwards & Walker Co. said amount of \$35.15, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of December, 1904."

Specification 11th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$11.12, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of

certain claims made against the United States by The Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$424.94 (said claims being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, vouchers submitted with his quartermaster accounts, marked

'Regular Supplies F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A, dated February 13, 1905;

'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 4 to his Abstract A, dated February 21, 1905;

'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 5 to his Abstract A, dated February 21, 1905

all pertaining to the fiscal year 1905; said vouchers purporting to contain and containing claims upon the United States respectively for the amounts of \$69.90, \$235.44, and \$119.60); and by allowing said claims, and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said Edwards & Walker Co. his (*Smith's*) official checks No. 479181 and No. 479183 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the respective amounts of \$69.90 and \$355.04, in payment of said claims, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claims were false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$418.82, or less, was justly due said Edwards & Walker Co. for services set forth and specified in such vouchers and claims; then and there receiving from the said Edwards & Walker Co. said amount of \$11.12, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 12th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the sum of \$4.05, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of

a certain claim against the United States made by The Portland Rubber Co., of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$4.80 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 5 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 17, 1905); and by allowing said claim and causing payment thereof to be made from said money, by issuing to said Portland Rubber Company his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479182 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of said claim, \$4.80, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claim was false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$.75, or less, was justly due said Portland Rubber Co. for services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim; then and there receiving from the said Portland Rubber Co. said amount of \$4.05, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 18th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain money of the United States deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York that were furnished and intended for use in the military service, did wrongfully apply and misappropriate and convert to a purpose not authorized by law, the amount of \$64.03, or more, of said money, by certifying to the correctness and justness of certain claims made against the United States by F. H. Marshall & Co., of Portland, Maine, for the amount of \$194.85 (said claim being set forth in his, Lieutenant *Smith's*, vouchers submitted with his quartermaster accounts, marked,

'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract B, dated February 28, 1905;

'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 8 to his Abstract B, dated January 31, 1905;

all pertaining to the fiscal year 1905; said vouchers purporting to contain and containing claims upon the United States respectively for the amounts of \$96.10 and \$98 75;) and by allowing said claims and causing payment thereof to be made from said money by issuing to said F. H. Marshall & Co. his (*Smith's*) official check No. 479283 on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York for the amount of such claims, \$194 85, he, the said Lieutenant *Smith*, well knowing at the times of such certification and allowance that the said claims were false and fraudulent and that of the amount claimed but \$180.83, or less, was justly due said F. H. Marshall & Co. for services set forth and specified in such vouchers and claims; then and there receiving from the said F. H. Marshall & Co. said amount of \$64.03, or more, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 14th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and by virtue of such capacity having authority to receive and take into his possession money due to the United States on account of sales of quartermaster supplies to officers, did, in such capacity receive and take into his possession during the month of April, 1904, the sum of \$84.18 owing to the United States on account of sales to officers of quartermaster supplies, furnished and intended for use in the military service thereof, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle the said \$34.18. This at Fort Williams, Maine."

Specification 15th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and by virtue of such capacity having authority to receive and take into his possession money due to the United States on account of sales of quartermaster supplies to officers, did, in such capacity receive and take into his possession between the months of May and August, in the year 1904, the sum of \$102 50 owing to the United States on account of sales to officers of quartermaster

supplies, furnished and intended for use in the military service thereof, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle the said \$102.50. This at Fort Williams, Maine."

Specification 16th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and by virtue of such capacity having authority to receive and take into his possession money due to the United States on account of sales of quartermaster supplies to officers, did, in such capacity receive and take into his possession during the month of December, 1904, the sum of \$111.17 owing to the United States on account of sales to officers of quartermaster supplies, furnished and intended for use in the military service thereof, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle the said \$111.17. This at Fort Williams, Maine."

Specification 17th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and by virtue of such capacity having authority to receive and take into his possession money due to the United States on account of sales of quartermaster supplies to officers, did, in such capacity receive and take into his possession during the month of January, 1905, the sum of \$104.27 owing to the United States on account of sales to officers of quartermaster supplies, furnished and intended for use in the military service thereof, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle the sum of \$104.27. This at Fort Williams, Maine."

Specification 18th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and by virtue of such capacity having authority to receive and take into his possession money due to the United States on account of sales of quartermaster supplies to officers, did, in such capacity receive and take into his possession, during the month of February, 1905, the sum of \$103.68 owing to the United States on account of sales to officers of quartermaster supplies, furnished and intended for use in the military service thereof, and did

fraudulently and feloniously embezzle the said \$103.68. This at Fort Williams, Maine."

CHARGE III.—"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War."

Specification 1st—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time Quartermaster of the Post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 1 to his Abstract B pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 28, 1905, said claim being that of one Samuel W. Joy, for \$73.85 for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; that the services were rendered as stated; that they were necessary for the public service, and are borne on my report of persons, etc., for the month of March, 1905.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieut., Arty. Corps. A. Q. M.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false in that the services were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$68.35, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*; and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, and after."

Specification 2d—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during June, 1904, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters 1903-1904,' being Voucher No. 10 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904, said claim being that of J. B. Fickett & Co. (F. M. Brown, proprietor) for

\$145.05, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; and that the articles purchased were delivered to and received by, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's supplies for the quarter ending on the 30th of June, 1904; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH.

1st Lieut. Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$36.24, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 3d—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 21, 1905, said claim being that of Frank M. Brown for \$567.48, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH.

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$419.75, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 4th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 1 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 28, 1905, said claim being that of Frank M. Brown for \$159.95, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending March 31st, 1905; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. MCC. SMITH.

1st Lieutenant, Arty. Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$120.43, as was well known by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 5th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time

quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during June, 1904, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Incidental Expenses F Y 1904,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904, said claim being that of S. H. & A. R. Doten for \$82.50, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to and received by and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 30th of June, 1904; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH,

1st Lieutenant, Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$26.84, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 6th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during June, 1904, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1903-1904,' being Voucher No. 11 to his Abstract A pertaining to the fiscal year 1904, and dated June 30, 1904, said claim being that of S. H. & A. R. Doten for \$69.92, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread

upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to and received by and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 30th of June, 1904; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH.

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant McC. Smith, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$21.90, as was well known to the said Lieutenant McC. Smith, and being made by him and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

Specification 7th—"In that 1st Lieutenant Frederick McC. Smith, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during August, 1904, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 6 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated August 11, 1904, said claim being that of S. H. & A. R. Doten for \$188.00, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; and that the articles purchased were delivered to and received by and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 30th of September, 1904; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH.

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$80.00, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of August, 1904."

Specification 8th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during January, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated January 12, 1905, said claim being that of S. H. & A. R. Doten, for \$148.50, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905: that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieutenant, Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$97.68, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being made by him and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of January, 1905."

Specification 9th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during December, 1904, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Regular Supplies F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated December 22, 1904, said claim being that of The Edwards & Walker Co., for \$79.40, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of December, 1904, that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH,

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$44.25, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being made by him and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of December, 1904."

Specification 10th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Regular Supplies F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract A, dated February 13, 1905, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, said claim being that of The Ed-

wards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, for \$69.90, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me, and received by me, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the said claim was not correct and just, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, and after."

Specification 11th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 4, to his Abstract A, dated February 21, 1905, said claim being that of The Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, for \$285.44, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieut., Arty. Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that said claim was not correct and just, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, and after."

Specification 12th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 5, to his Abstract A, dated February 21, 1905, said claim being that of The Edwards & Walker Co., of Portland, Maine, for \$119.60, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905: that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. MCC. SMITH.

1st Lieut. Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that said claim was not correct and just, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, and after."

Specification 13th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did,

in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Army Transportation F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3 to his Abstract A, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, and dated February 17, 1905, said claim being that of The Portland Rubber Co. for \$4.80, for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles purchased were delivered to me and received by me, and have been accounted for on my Return of Quartermaster's Supplies for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, 1905; that they were purchased after public advertisement, or under oral agreement, and that the award was made to the lowest responsible bidder for the best and most suitable articles, and that the needs of the service required the purchase to be made in the manner indicated.

F. McC. SMITH,

1st Lieut. Artillery Corps, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieut. McC. Smith, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that the services and material were not rendered as set forth in said voucher to a greater amount than \$0.75, as was well known to the said Lieut. McC. Smith, and being made by him and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905."

Specification 14th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during February, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 2 to his Abstract B, dated February 23, 1905, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, said claim being that of F. H. Marshall & Co., of Portland, Maine, for \$96.10 for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread

upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just: that the services were rendered as stated: that they were necessary for the public service, and are borne on my report of persons, etc., for the month of March, 1905.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieut., Artillery Corps, A. O. M.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieut. *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that said claim was not correct and just, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of February, 1905, and after."

Specification 15th—"In that 1st Lieut. *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, did, in his official capacity, certify as correct and just a claim upon the United States for payment of services rendered, made during January, 1905, and set forth in his voucher submitted with his quartermaster accounts and marked 'Barracks and Quarters F Y 1905,' being Voucher No. 3, to his Abstract B, dated January 31, 1905, pertaining to the fiscal year 1905, said claim being that of F. H. Marshall & Co., of Portland, Maine, for \$98.75 for services and material rendered, said certificate being spread upon and a part of said voucher, in words and figures as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just: that the services were rendered as stated: that they were necessary for the public service, and are borne on my report of persons, etc., for the month of March, 1905.

F. MCC. SMITH,

1st Lieut. Artillery Corps, A. O. M.

said certificate being to him, the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, at the time made and submitted, knowingly false, in that said claim was not correct and just, as was well known to the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith*, and being by him made and submitted with intent to deceive his commanding and other superior officers. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the month of January, 1905, and after."

Specification 16th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, having, on or about June 21, 1903, signed a pledge, in words and figures as follows:

June 21, 1903.

I hereby voluntarily pledge myself on my honor as an officer and a gentleman, to abstain from the use of malt and all spirituous liquors and intoxicants for a period of ten (10) years from date hereof; unless in case of sickness same shall be prescribed as a medicine by a medical officer.

F. McC. SMITH,

1st Lieutenant, Artillery Corps.

and having submitted said pledge to his commanding and other superior officers, did, in disregard of his honor, violate said pledge by indulging in the use of spirituous liquors at a time when such liquors were not prescribed as a medicine by a medical officer on account of sickness. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, on or about February 26th, 1905."

Specification 17th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, who had been relieved from duty as quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, by an order dated Fort Williams, Maine, March 2, 1905, and being engaged in transferring his accountability to his successor, having been asked by his commanding officer, Colonel William F. Stewart, Artillery Corps, on Saturday, March 4, 1905, where the funds were for which he was accountable for sales of fuel, etc. etc., for November and December, 1904, and January and February, 1905, did reply that he had deposited them, which statement that the funds had been deposited was false (except so far as related to sales for November, 1904), was known by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* to be false at the time made, and was made with intent to deceive his commanding officer, Colonel William F. Stewart, Artillery Corps. This at Fort Williams, Maine, upon the date above specified."

Specification 18th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. A., being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and in such capacity being entrusted with the lawful disbursement of certain moneys of the United States, deposited to his credit with the Assistant Treasurer, U. S.,

at New York, that were furnished and intended for use in the Military Service, did cause to be made a certain false and fraudulent claim against the United States in favor of F. W. Joy, of Portland, Maine, knowing the same to be false and fraudulent, to wit: The claim represented by that certain voucher No. —, dated February 28, 1905, pertaining to his, the said *McC. Smith's*, Abstract B, for March, 1905, signed by F. W. Joy, said voucher containing a claim against the United States for the amount of \$78.00, which claim, on being presented for payment, was ordered paid from money of the United States, by the said Lieut. *McC. Smith* drawing and delivering to the said Joy his (*McC. Smith's*) official check on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, No. 479205, for the amount of \$73.00; said claim being false and fraudulent, in that of the amount claimed, there was nothing due the said Joy for services as set forth and specified in such voucher and claim, and that none of the services set forth and specified in such voucher and claim had been rendered by the said Joy. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, during the months of February and March, 1905."

Specification 19th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, having, while quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, been entrusted by F. H. Marshall, a member of the firm of F. H. Marshall & Co., Portland, Maine, with the custody and safe-keeping of a check dated November 30, 1904, drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, New York City, for \$150.00, in favor of the said firm of F. H. Marshall & Co., that was endorsed by the said F. H. Marshall, on representations made by the said Lieutenant *McC. Smith* that he would hold the check in the quartermaster's office safe as security for certain work performed at Fort Williams, Maine, by the said firm of F. H. Marshall & Co., did in violation of said trust, transfer the said check to John J. Lipop, Post Exchange Officer, receiving thereon the sum of \$150.00 and feloniously convert the said sum to his own use and benefit. This at or near Fort Williams, Maine, on or about November 30th, 1904."

Specification 20th—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, quartermaster at Fort Williams, Maine, having, without the knowledge of the owner, obtained possession of a check dated June 13, 1904, drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, New York City, for \$250.00 in favor of the firm of Main and Reeves, endorsed by Main and Reeves, did transfer the said check to the Merchants' National Bank, Portland, Maine, receiving thereon the sum of \$250.00, and feloniously convert the said sum to his own use and benefit. This at or near Portland, Maine, on or about June 14th, 1904."

Specification 21st—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, quartermaster at Fort Williams, Maine, having without the knowledge of the owner, obtained possession of a check dated June 24, 1904, drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, New York City, for \$200.00, in favor of the firm of Main and Reeves, Portland, Maine, endorsed by Main and Reeves, did transfer the said check to the Merchants National Bank, Portland, Maine, receiving thereon the sum of \$200.00 and feloniously convert the said sum to his own use and benefit. This at or near Portland, Maine, during the month of June, 1904."

CHARGE IV.—"Disobedience of orders, in violation of the 21st Article of War."

Specification—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, having received a lawful order from his commanding officer, Colonel William F. Stewart, Artillery Corps, in words and figures as follows:

FORT WILLIAMS, MAINE. *February 9, 1905.*

Respectfully referred to the Q. M., inviting attention to the contents of the within. No emergency purchase or hire, will be made hereafter without getting the authority of the commanding officer.

By order of Colonel Stewart:

J. B. MITCHELL,

Captain, Artillery Corps, Adjutant.

did wilfully disobey the said order. This at Fort Williams, Maine, on March 2, 1905."

ADDITIONAL CHARGE—"Embezzlement, in violation of the 62nd Article of War."

Specification—"In that 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, being at the time quartermaster of the post at Fort Williams, Maine, and having sold to one F. W. Mason four thousand one hundred and twenty-three tons of earth (more or less) the property of the United States, and receiving therefor the sum of four hundred and twelve dollars and thirty cents (\$412.30), did wilfully, unlawfully, and feloniously embezzle said sum of money, the property of the United States, converting the same to his own use and benefit. This at Fort Williams, Maine, during the months of September, October, and November, 1904."

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

Charge I.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 9th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the **CHARGE**, "Not guilty."

Charge II.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."

To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 9th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 15th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 16th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 18th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Charge III.

To the 1st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 2d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 3d *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 4th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 5th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 6th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 7th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 8th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 9th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 10th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 11th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 12th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 13th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 15th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 16th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 To the 17th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 18th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 19th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 20th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the 21st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge IV.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

Additional Charge.

To the *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 To the CHARGE, "Not guilty."

FINDINGS.

Charge I.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the No. 479283, substituting 479208; of the excepted number not guilty, and of the substituted number guilty."

Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge II.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty, except the number 479283 substituting 479208; of the excepted number not guilty, of the substituted number guilty."

Of the 14th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the 15th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the 16th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 17th *Specification*, "Guilty."

Of the 18th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge III.

Of the 1st *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 2d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 3d *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 4th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 5th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 6th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 7th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 8th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 9th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 10th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 11th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 12th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 13th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 14th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 15th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 16th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 17th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 18th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 19th *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the 20th *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the 21st *Specification*, "Not guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Charge IV.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

Additional Charge.

Of the *Specification*, "Guilty."
 Of the CHARGE, "Guilty."

SENTENCE.

And the court does therefore sentence him, 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, "*To be dismissed the service of the U. S., to pay a fine of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), and to be confined at such penitentiary as the reviewing authority may direct for the period of one year.*"

The record of the proceedings of the general court-martial in the foregoing case of 1st Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*,

Artillery Corps, having been submitted to the President, the following are his orders thereon:

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 16th, 1905.

The sentence in the foregoing case of First Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, is approved. On the recommendation of the Chief of Staff, which is concurred in by the Acting Secretary of War, so much of the sentence as imposes a fine of twelve hundred dollars is remitted. As thus mitigated, the sentence will be carried into execution.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

First Lieutenant *Frederick McC. Smith*, Artillery Corps, ceases to be an officer of the Army from June 19, 1905. The Ohio State Penitentiary at Columbus, Ohio, is designated as the place for his confinement. [1022291, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 99.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 28, 1905.

The following is published for the information and guidance
of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 28, 1905.

By direction of the President, Major General *John C. Bates*, Assistant
Chief of Staff, is detailed as a member of the board appointed by Execu-
tive order dated January 31, 1905, published in General Orders, No. 20,
February 9, 1905, War Department, vice *Gillespie*, heretofore retired.

ROBERT SHAW OLIVER,
Acting Secretary of War.

[1030656, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 100. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1905.

The following named officers are detailed as members of the Joint Army and Navy Board appointed by the order published in General Orders, No. 107, July 20, 1903, Headquarters of the Army:

Major General *John C. Bates*, Assistant Chief of Staff.

Brigadier General *Samuel M. Mills*, Chief of Artillery.

Lieutenant Colonel *William W. Wotherspoon*, General Staff.

[1030655, M. S. O.]

ROBERT SHAW OLIVER,

Acting Secretary of War.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 101.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 29, 1906.

1. The following laws, regulations, and instructions governing the detail of officers of the Army at educational institutions are published for the information and government of all concerned:

[As amended by act approved September 26, 1888.]

"SEC. 1225. The President may, upon the application of any established military institute, seminary or academy, college or university, within the United States, having capacity to educate at the same time not less than one hundred and fifty male students, detail an officer of the Army or Navy to act as superintendent, or professor thereof; but the number of officers so detailed shall not exceed fifty from the Army, and ten from the Navy, being a maximum of sixty, at any time, and they shall be apportioned throughout the United States, first, to those State institutions applying for such detail that are required to provide instruction in military tactics under the provisions of the act of Congress of July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, donating lands for the establishment of colleges where the leading object shall be the practical instruction of the industrial classes in agriculture and the mechanic arts, including military tactics; and after that, said details to be distributed, as nearly as may be practicable, according to population. The Secretary of War is authorized to issue, at his discretion and under proper regulations to be prescribed by him, out of ordnance and ordnance stores belonging to the Government, and which can be spared for that purpose, such number of the same as may appear to be required for military instruction and practice by the students of any college or university under the provisions of this section, and the Secretary shall require a bond in each case, in double the value of the property, for the care and safe-keeping thereof, and for the return of the same when required": *Provided*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent the detail of officers of the Engineer Corps of the Navy as professors in

scientific schools or colleges as now provided by act of Congress approved February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, entitled "An act to promote a knowledge of steam-engineering and iron-ship building among the students of scientific schools or colleges in the United States;" and the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to issue ordnance and ordnance stores belonging to the Government on the terms and conditions hereinbefore provided to any college or university at which a retired officer of the Army may be assigned as provided by section twelve hundred and sixty of the Revised Statutes.

An Act To amend section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, concerning details of officers of the Army and Navy to educational institutions.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, concerning details of officers of the Army and Navy to educational institutions, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to permit the President to detail, under the provisions of said act, not to exceed seventy-five officers of the Army of the United States; and the maximum number of officers of the Army and Navy to be detailed at any one time under the provisions of the act passed September twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, amending said section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, is hereby increased to eighty-five: *Provided*, That no officer shall be detailed to or maintained at any of the educational institutions mentioned in said act where instruction and drill in military tactics is not given: *Provided further*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent the detail of officers of the Engineer Corps of the Navy as professors in scientific schools or colleges as now provided by Act of Congress approved February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, entitled "An act to promote a knowledge of steam-engineering and iron-ship building among the students of scientific schools or colleges in the United States."

Approved, January 13, 1891.

An Act To increase the number of officers of the Army to be detailed to colleges.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, concerning details of officers of the Army and Navy to educational institutions, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to permit the President to detail under the provisions of said act not to exceed one hundred officers of the Army of the United States; and no officer shall be thus detailed who has not had five years' service in the Army and no detail to such duty shall extend for more than four years and officers on the retired list of the Army may upon their own application be detailed to such duty and when so detailed shall receive the full pay of their rank; and the maximum number of officers of the Army and Navy to be detailed at any one time under the provisions of the act approved January thirteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, amending section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes as amended by an act approved September twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, is hereby increased to one hundred and ten.

Approved, November 3, 1893.

Section 1260, Revised Statutes.

Any retired officer may, on his own application, be detailed to serve as professor in any college. (But while so serving, such officer shall be allowed no additional compensation.)

Extract from the act of Congress approved May 4, 1880.

That upon the application of any college, university, or institution of learning incorporated under the laws of any State within the United States, having capacity at the same time to educate not less than one hundred and fifty male students, the President may detail an officer of the Army on the retired list to act as president, superintendent, or professor thereof; and such officer may receive from the institution to which he may be detailed the difference between his retired and full pay and shall not receive any additional pay or allowance from the United States.

Extract from the act of Congress approved August 6, 1894.

Provided, That nothing in the Act entitled "An Act to increase the number of officers of the Army to be detailed to

colleges," approved November third, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, shall be so construed as to prevent, limit, or restrict the detail of retired officers of the Army at institutions of learning under the provisions of section twelve hundred and sixty, Revised Statutes, and the Act making appropriations for the support of the Army, and so forth, approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty, nor to forbid the issue of ordnance and ordnance stores, as provided in the Act approved September twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, amending section twelve hundred and twenty-five, Revised Statutes, to the institutions at which retired officers may be so detailed; and said Act of November third, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and said Act of May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty, shall not be construed to allow the full pay of their rank to retired officers detailed under said section twelve hundred and sixty, Revised Statutes, and said Act of May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty.

Extract from the act of Congress approved February 26, 1901.

SECTION 1. * * * That section twelve hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes concerning the detail of officers of the Army and Navy to educational institutions, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to permit the President to detail under the provisions of that Act, and in addition to the detail of the officers of the Army and Navy now authorized to be detailed under the existing provisions of said Act, such retired officers of the Army and Navy of the United States as in his judgment may be required for that purpose, to act as instructors in military drill and tactics in schools in the United States, where such instruction shall have been authorized by the educational authorities thereof, and where the services of such instructors shall have been applied for by said authorities.

SEC. 2. That no detail shall be made under this Act to any school unless it shall pay the cost of commutation of quarters of the retired officers detailed thereto and the extra-duty pay to which the latter may be entitled by law to receive for the performance of special duty: *Provided*, That no detail shall be made under the provisions of this Act unless the officers to be detailed are willing to accept such position without compensation from the Government other than their retired pay.

SEC. 3. That the Secretary of War is authorized to issue at his discretion, and under proper regulations to be prescribed

by him, out of ordnance and ordnance stores belonging to the Government, and which can be spared for that purpose, upon the approval of the governors of the respective States, such number of the same as may be required for military instruction and practice by such school, and the Secretary shall require a bond in each case, for double the value of the property, for the care and safe-keeping thereof and for the return of the same when required.

The details authorized by section 1260, Revised Statutes, as amended by the act approved May 4, 1880, and by the act approved February 26, 1901, will be in addition to the number allowed by section 1225, Revised Statutes, and the amendments thereof, and may be made to incorporate institutions of learning of the requisite grade in any State, without reference to population or to the number of officers already serving therein.

2. The following apportionment, in accordance with the foregoing laws and the census of 1900, is adopted, and details will be made in accordance therewith:

Apportionment of details at colleges, universities, etc., under section 1225, Revised Statutes, and the amendments thereof, based upon the number of officers of the Army available for such details.

States.	Population of States arranged in groups.	Population of groups and of States not arranged in groups.	Details for land grant schools.	Details by population.	Total details due.
Maine.....	694,466	1,449,695	1	1	4
New Hampshire.....	411,589		1		
Vermont.....	343,641		1		
Massachusetts.....	2,805,346	1,336,976	1	2	3
Rhode Island.....	429,556		1		
Connecticut.....	908,420		1		
New York.....	7,269,994	9,152,563	1	7	9
New Jersey.....	1,883,669		1		
Pennsylvania.....	6,302,115		1		
Delaware.....	184,735	6,486,850	1	5	7
Maryland.....	1,118,044		1		
District of Columbia.....	278,718		1		
Virginia.....	1,854,184	2,812,964	1	2	4
West Virginia.....	958,800		1		
North Carolina.....	1,893,810		1		
South Carolina.....	1,340,316	2,744,873	1	2	4
Georgia.....	2,216,331		1		
Florida.....	528,542		1		
Alabama.....	1,828,697	1,828,697	1	1	2

Apportionment of details at colleges, universities, etc.—Continued.

States.	Population of States arranged in groups.	Population of groups and of States not arranged in groups.	Details for land-grant schools.	Details by population.	Total details due.
Mississippi.....		1,551,270	1	1	2
Louisiana.....		1,331,625	1	1	2
Arkansas.....		1,311,564	1	1	2
Texas.....	3,048,710		1		
Oklahoma.....	398,331				
Indian Territory.....	392,080	4,034,411		3	4
New Mexico.....	195,310				
Tennessee.....	2,020,616		1		
Kentucky.....	2,147,174	4,167,790		3	5
Ohio.....		4,157,545	1	3	4
Indiana.....		2,516,462	1	2	3
Michigan.....		2,420,982	1	2	3
Illinois.....	4,821,550				
Wisconsin.....	2,069,042	6,890,502	1	5	7
Iowa.....	2,231,853		1		
Missouri.....	3,106,685	5,338,518	1	4	6
Minnesota.....	1,751,394		1		
North Dakota.....	319,146		1		
South Dakota.....	401,570	2,715,439	1	2	6
Montana.....	243,339		1		
Kansas.....		1,470,495	1	1	2
Nebraska.....	1,066,300				
Colorado.....	539,700	1,606,000	1	1	3
Alaska.....	63,562				
Washington.....	518,103		1		
Oregon.....	413,536		1		
Idaho.....	161,772	1,691,549	1	1	7
Wyoming.....	92,531		1		
Nevada.....	42,335		1		
Utah.....	276,749		1		
Arizona.....	122,931				
California.....	1,485,053	1,639,054	1	1	2
Hawaii.....	154,001				

CLASSIFICATION.

8. The following regulations, in regard to the detail of officers of the Army at established colleges, universities, etc., within the United States, are prescribed by the President under the above laws.

All institutions, within the meaning of section 1225, Revised Statutes of the United States, and of the acts of Congress amendatory thereof, shall, for purposes of the detail of officers of the Army, active and retired, as professors of military science and tactics and of the course of military instruction to be pursued thereat, be divided into four classes, as follows:

CLASS A.—Military schools or colleges, i. e., those whose organization is essentially military and one of whose primary

objects is the acquisition of a high degree of military drill and discipline.

CLASS B.—Agricultural schools established under the provisions of the act of Congress of July 2, 1862, and which are required by said act to include military tactics in their curriculum.

CLASS C.—All schools not essentially military which maintain a course of military instruction equal or superior in character and hours of instruction to that required from institutions of Class B.

CLASS D.—All other schools at which officers of the Army may be detailed and which do not maintain a course of military instruction equal to that required of institutions of Class B, and at which such instruction is regarded as nominal.

4. The War Department will classify all institutions and make necessary changes of classification.

5. The six institutions, which may be annually reported as hereinafter provided, whose students have exhibited the greatest application and proficiency in military training and knowledge shall be specially designated, in addition to the above classification, as "Distinguished Institutions," and the year or years in which distinguished shall be added.

DETAILS OF OFFICERS.

6. No officer who has not had five years' service as such, nor any officer not of the line of the Army, shall be eligible for detail as professor of military science and tactics. All details from the retired list shall, under the provisions of act of November 3, 1893, be included in the limited number of details authorized by that act.

7. Details shall be made to begin with the school term; and in the case of officers of the active list shall be for a period of three years, except when the detail becomes vacant from any cause, the unexpired term of such officer, if six months or less, shall be added to the three years' detail of his successor; otherwise the detail shall terminate two years after the close of the school year in which the professor of military science and tactics begins his duties as such. The detail of a retired officer shall be for four years. No retired officer above the rank of major shall be detailed as a professor of military science and tactics unless in connection with his duties as such

he is to hold the position of president, superintendent, or principal of the institution.

8. When an officer is detailed to relieve another as professor of military science and tactics, he shall report at the institution to which assigned not less than two weeks prior to the departure of his predecessor.

9. Applications for the detail of officers must be addressed by the president of the institution to The Military Secretary of the Army and be accompanied by the last printed catalogue and a certificate as to the number of male students the institution has the capacity in buildings, apparatus, and instructors, to educate at one and the same time; the number of such students in actual attendance at the time of application, or, if the application is made during vacation, the number actually in attendance during the session immediately preceding it; and the number over 15 years of age. The certificate must also show the grade of the institution, the degrees it confers, and whether or not it is a land-grant school, or a military school.

10. Where a State has more than one school endowed by the national land grant, under the act approved July 2, 1862, the school which is reported by the governor of the State as most nearly meeting the requirements of existing law shall be held to have the first claim to the officer allotted to the State for detail at a land-grant college.

11. When application is made for the detail of an officer of the Army at an institution to which an officer had not theretofore been assigned, it shall be visited by an inspector or other suitable officer, who shall report to the War Department whether such a detail should be made.

12. No detail of professor of military science and tactics shall be made at any institution which does not guarantee to maintain at least 100 pupils under military instruction.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

13. The professor of military science and tactics shall render a quarterly report to The Military Secretary of the Army of the whole number of undergraduate students in the institution capable of performing military duty, the number required by the institution to be enrolled as military students, the average attendance at drills, the number absent, the number and

kind of drills, recitations and lectures, or other instruction had during the quarter, and the number reported for discipline. He shall retain copies of all reports and correspondence and transfer them to the officer who may succeed him, or forward them to the office of The Military Secretary of the Army should the detail expire. On the graduation of every class he shall obtain from the president of the college and report to The Military Secretary of the Army the names of such students belonging to the class as have shown special aptitude for military service, and furnish a copy thereof to the adjutant general of the State for his information. At those institutions which grade the department of military science and tactics equally with the other important branches of instruction, and which make proficiency in that department a requisite for securing a diploma, the names of the three most distinguished students in said department shall, when graduated, be inserted in the United States Army Register.

14. The military department shall be subject to inspection under the authority of the President of the United States; such inspections to be made, when practicable, in the months of April or May. The inspecting officer shall, upon his arrival at the institution, report to the president or other administrative officer, in order to obtain from him the necessary facilities for the performance of his duty. A copy of the report of inspection will be furnished the president of the institution by the War Department.

15. The officer detailed as professor of military science and tactics shall reside at or near the institution to which assigned, and when in the performance of his military duties shall appear in proper uniform. He shall, in his relations to the institution, observe the general usages and regulations therein established affecting the duties and obligations of other members of the faculty. He shall not perform any other duties than those of instructor in military science and tactics, except by special permission of the War Department.

16. It is the duty of the professor of military science and tactics to enforce proper military discipline at all times when students are under military instruction, and in case of serious breaches of discipline or misconduct, to report the same to the proper authorities of the institution, according to its established methods. In case no suitable action is taken by

the authorities of the institution, the professor of military science and tactics shall report the facts to The Military Secretary of the Army.

ORGANIZATION.

17. Pupils under military instruction shall be organized into companies and battalions of infantry, the drill and administration of which shall conform, as far as possible, to that of the Army.

18. All rules and orders relating to the organization and government of the military students; the appointment, promotion, and change of officers, and all other orders affecting the military department, except those relating to routine duty, shall be made and promulgated by the professor of military science and tactics after being approved by the chief administrative officer of the institution.

19. Upon occasions of military ceremony, in the execution of drills, guard duty, and when students are receiving any other practical military instruction, they shall appear in the uniform prescribed by the institution. They shall be held strictly accountable for the arms and accouterments issued to them.

20. In the administration of each cadet battalion the adjutant, assisted by the sergeant major, shall keep a letter book, an order book, a roster, and a consolidated morning-report book. The quartermaster, assisted by the quartermaster sergeant, shall keep a book containing a record of all issues of Government property, with the receipts of those to whom issued. Each captain shall keep a morning-report book and, where necessary for the regulation of duty, a roster.

INSTRUCTION.

21. At every institution of Class B, at which a professor of military science and tactics is detailed, it shall be provided in its regular schedule of studies that at least three hours per week for two years, or the equivalent thereof, shall be assigned for instruction in the military department, not less than two-thirds of the total time to be devoted to practical drill, including guard mounting and other military ceremonies, and the remainder to theoretical instruction.

22. The character of instruction will vary according to the nature of the institutions and the facilities afforded, but instruction of Classes A, B, and C shall include practical instruction in the following subjects:

Infantry Drill Regulations.

Field Service Regulations.

Manual of Guard Duty.

Firing Regulations for Small Arms.

23. Theoretical instruction shall include the portions of the above subjects covered by the practical instruction, and may be supplemented by lectures.

DISTINGUISHED INSTITUTIONS.

24. The reports of the regular inspection of the colleges and schools to which officers of the Army are detailed as professors of military science and tactics will hereafter be submitted annually to the General Staff for its critical examinations; and the Chief of Staff shall report to the Secretary of War from the institutions which have maintained a high standard the six whose students have exhibited the greatest application and proficiency in military training and knowledge.

The President of the United States authorizes the announcement that an appointment as second lieutenant in the Regular Army will be awarded annually to an honor graduate of each of the six institutions thus designated, provided that sufficient vacancies exist after the appointment of graduates of the Military Academy at West Point and the successful competitors in the annual examination of enlisted men. By the term honor graduate is understood a graduate whose attainments in scholarship have been so marked as to receive the approbation of the president of the school or college, and whose proficiency in military training and knowledge and intelligent attention to duty have merited the approbation of the professor of military science and tactics.

The student recommended must be a member of the graduating class of the year in which the appointment is made, must be a citizen of the United States, unmarried, not less than twenty-one nor more than twenty-seven years of age, of exemplary habits and good moral character, and must be able to pass the examination required by existing regulations

of candidates for appointment from civil life to the grade of second lieutenant in the Regular Army.

In each of the six institutions designated, the president and the professor of military science and tactics, acting jointly, will select two honor graduates, one as principal and one as alternate. In case the president and the professor of military science and tactics can not agree in the selection, they will forward separate reports for the consideration and decision of the Chief of Staff. In case of the failure of the principal, the alternate shall, if he successfully pass the examination, be given the appointment.

ISSUE OF ARMS, ETC.

25. The following are the regulations prescribed for the issue of arms, etc., required for military instruction and practice at colleges, universities, etc., under section 1225, Revised Statutes, and the amendments thereof:

26. As the appropriations for the supply of ordnance and ordnance stores to the Army are very limited, and as the language of the law restricts the issues that can be made to colleges to such as "can be spared for that purpose," issues of ordnance and ordnance stores to colleges will be limited to arms and the equipments and implements necessary to enable them to be used by the students for purposes of drill, parade, and similar exercises, but not for field and encampment purposes.

27. Only such ordnance and ordnance stores as are enumerated in the following paragraphs will be issued for the purpose of military instruction to each selected college and university having an officer of the Army stationed thereat.

28. The field pieces of artillery, with their carriages and implements, will be limited to the following, viz:

- 2 muzzle-loading wrought-iron rifled guns, caliber 3 inches.
- 2 carriages and limbers for 3-inch gun.
- 2 gunner's haversacks.
- 2 trail handspikes.
- 4 lanyards.
- 2 priming wires.
- 4 sponges and rammers, 3-inch.
- 4 sponge covers, 3-inch.
- 2 tube pouches.

- 4 thumb stalls.
- 2 tompions, 8-inch.
- 2 vent covers.
- 1 pendulum hausse, 8-inch.
- 1 pendulum-hausse seat.
- 1 pendulum-hausse pouch.
- 2 paulins, 12 by 15 feet.

Targets, streamers, and marking disk for institutions of Classes "B" and "C."

29. When in the opinion of the Chief of Ordnance the supply on hand will permit, there may be issued in lieu of the foregoing two of the 3.2 inch breech-loading steel field guns, with their carriages and implements, as above.

30. The small arms issued to any college will be the Springfield "Cadet" rifles, similar to those which were supplied the United States Military Academy at West Point, but in no case will the number of rifles issued be in excess of the number of male students in regular attendance and actually receiving military instruction.

31. The accouterments to be issued with the Cadet rifles will consist of a bayonet scabbard, cartridge box, gun sling, waist belt, and waist-belt plate.

32. The service noncommissioned officer's sword can be issued for the use of the officers and noncommissioned officers of the Corps of Cadets. The sliding frog will enable these swords to be worn on the ordinary waist belt.

33. A limited number of cavalry sabers and belts (for purposes of instruction only) will be issued when satisfactory evidence of their necessity is presented.

34. Issue of the above stores will be made by the Chief of Ordnance to any selected institution upon its filing a bond in the penal sum of double the value of the property, conditioned that it will fully insure, take good care of, and safely keep and account for the same, and will, when required by the Secretary of War, duly return the same, within thirty days, in good order, to the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, or such other officer or person as the Secretary of War may designate to receive them.

35. For practice firing, the following allowances of ammunition will be made annually to each of the various institutions, viz: One hundred blank cartridges and 800 friction primers

for 8-inch, or for 8.2-inch breech-loading gun, as the case may be. Projectiles will not be issued for the field guns.

36. Ammunition for rifle target practice will be issued annually at the rate of 50 carbine ball cartridges (or their equivalent value in reloading material, reloading tools, or target supplies) for each cadet actually engaged in target practice, but there shall not be issued to any college more than 7,500 ball cartridges in any one year. Where it is not deemed practicable to have target practice, a limited quantity of rifle blank cartridges will be furnished for instruction in firing. This ammunition will be issued upon requisition to be forwarded to the Chief of Ordnance by the presidents or superintendents of the institutions; and as annual allowances date in all cases from July 1 of each year, requisitions should be forwarded before or as soon after that date as practicable for the current year's supply. Undrawn allowances of one year can not be drawn in the succeeding year.

37. The reloading material, reloading tools, and target supplies which can be drawn as part of the ammunition allowance for target practice are:

- (a) Reloading materials, consisting of—
 - Small-arms powder.
 - Carbine bullets.
 - Round balls.
 - Cartridge primers.
- (b) Reloading tools, consisting of—
 - 1 set of hand reloading tools (bench reloading tools are not issued to colleges).
- (c) 1 bullet mold, casting 4 balls.
- 1 melting ladle.
- 1 pouring ladle.
- (d) Target supplies, consisting of—
 - Paper targets A and B, and centers for these targets.
 - Paper targets for gallery practice.
 - Pasters, white and black.

38. When tools for reloading rifle cartridges or implements for casting lead balls for gallery practice have been issued to colleges, the parts required to keep them in good order may be issued when requested, and charged against the money value of the annual ammunition allowance.

39. All ordnance and ordnance stores issued to colleges must be kept insured by the college authorities for their full invoice value, as shown in the bond, and the Chief of Ordnance promptly informed when and where the insurance is placed.

40. The transportation of ordnance and ordnance stores from the Government arsenals to institutions of learning, and from institutions of learning back to Government arsenals, is always without expense to the United States.

41. The colleges to which issues of ordnance and ordnance stores are made, under bonds given as required by law, will be required to keep said property in like good and serviceable condition as when issued by the Government, and for this purpose the spare parts, implements, and appendages necessary for this purpose will be sold to them at cost price on application to the Chief of Ordnance.

42. When ordnance and ordnance stores are returned to the Ordnance Department by any institution of learning, they will be carefully examined when received at the arsenal, and if they are found imperfect or unserviceable by reason of carelessness or other causes than legitimate use in service, the damage will have to be made good to the United States.

43. The cost of all missing property must be made good to the United States.

44. When any of the ordnance or ordnance stores become unfit for further use the president of the college will report the fact to the Chief of Ordnance and he will authorize the college to send them to an arsenal without expense to the United States. On reaching the arsenal the property will be inspected by an officer of the Ordnance Department and if its condition is found to be due to the ordinary incidents of service it may be replaced with serviceable stores of like character, but if its condition is found to be due to carelessness or other than legitimate causes the extent of damage or value of missing stores will be determined by the Chief of Ordnance and must be paid by the college before any new issue of stores is made.

45. The guns and carriages must not be allowed to remain out doors with only the paulins as a protection from the weather, but they must be housed in a suitable shed and habitually kept there except when used for drills or saluting purposes.

46. Regular property returns will be rendered quarterly to the Chief of Ordnance by each president or superintendent of an institution supplied with arms, etc., accounting for all ordnance and ordnance stores issued to the institution under his charge. These returns will be made on the blank forms to be supplied by the Chief of Ordnance.

47. Failure on the part of any institution of learning to comply with the foregoing regulations, or any others that may be prescribed by the Chief of Ordnance for the care, preservation, or accountability of any ordnance or ordnance stores issued to it by the United States, will be considered sufficient cause for the prompt withdrawal by the Secretary of War of the Government property in its possession.

48. Whenever any institution shall fail to return the public property in its charge within thirty days after demand made by the Secretary of War, the delinquency will be peremptorily referred to the Attorney General, that the bond of the institution may forthwith be put in suit.

49. The following is the form of bond to be executed previous to the issue of ordnance and ordnance stores, viz:

FORM OF BOND.

Know all men by these presents that we, the *Knox College*, located at *Galesburg, Illinois*, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of *Illinois*, as principal, and *Clark E Carr*, of *Galesburg, Illinois*, and *Edgar A Bancroft* of *Galesburg, Illinois*, assureties, are held and bound to the United States of America in the penal sum of **eight thousand four hundred and seventy-two dollars and ninety cents (\$8 472.90)*, for the payment of which well and truly to be made to the Secretary of War, or to such officer or person whom he may designate, we do bind ourselves and each of us, our successors, heirs, executors, and administrators, for and in the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Given under our hands and seals at *Galesburg, Illinois*, this 10th day of *May*, A. D. 1888.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, whereas the *Knox College* is an established † college within the United States having capacity to educate at the same time not less than one hundred and fifty male students, and whereas the said † college has heretofore applied to the President of the United States to detail an officer of the Army to act as professor of military science and tactics thereof, and the President by virtue of the authority vested in him by section 1225, Revised Statutes, as amended by the act of September 26, 1888,

*Double the value of the property.

†College or university.

has detailed such officer to act accordingly; and whereas the Secretary of War by the authority vested in him by said section is about to issue to the said *college for the military instruction and practice of the students thereof the following ordnance and ordnance stores, to-wit:

2 muzzle-loading wrought-iron rifled guns, caliber 3 inches, at \$450	\$900.00
2 carriages and limbers, for 3-inch gun, at \$325	650.00
gunner's haversacks, at \$2.20	4.40
trail handspikes, at \$1.10	2.20
laneyards, at 10 cents	.40
2 priming wires, at 10 cents	.20
4 sponges and rammers, 3-inch, at \$1	4.00
4 sponge covers, 3-inch, at 30 cents	1.20
2 tube pouches, at \$1.50	3.00
4 thumb stalls, at 20 cents	.80
2 tompons, 3-inch, at 30 cents	.60
2 vent covers, at 40 cents	.80
1 pendulum hausse, 3-inch	2.50
1 pendulum-hausse seat	.60
1 pendulum-hausse pouch	.75
2 paulins, 12 by 15 feet, at \$10.25	20.50
150 Springfield "Cadet" rifles, caliber .45, with appendages, etc., at \$15	2,250.00
150 bayonet scabbards, steel, Cadet, at 81 cents	121.50
150 waist belts and plates, at 60 cents	90.00
150 cartridge boxes, caliber .45, at \$1.22	183.00

being together of the value of *four thousand two hundred and thirty-six dollars and forty-five cents* (\$4,236.45); all of which property, when issued, the said *college hereby agrees to take good care of and safely keep, insure and keep insured against loss to the United States, and account for, quarterly, on blank forms to be prescribed by the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, and to return all of said property to said Chief of Ordnance, or such officer or person as may be designated to receive the same, within thirty days after demand by the Secretary of War.

Now therefore if the said *college shall take good care of and safely keep and insure and keep insured against loss to the United States and account for the said ordnance and ordnance stores, and shall when required by the Secretary of War duly return the same within thirty days in good order to the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, or to such other officer or person as the Secretary of War may designate to receive them, then this obligation shall become inoperative and void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

In witness whereof, and in pursuance of a resolution of the *board of directors* passed on the *first day of May, A. D. 1888*, a copy of which is hereto annexed, the corporate seal of said

*College or university.

†Board of directors or other governing body of the institution.

corporation is hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by the **president of the college.*

In presence of
GEO. A. LAWRENCE, } **KNOX COLLEGE,**
THOMAS A. BROWN. } **by NEWTON BATEMAN, [SEAL.]**
President.

In presence of
ROBERT G. SUTTON, } **CLARK E. CARR. [SEAL.]**
CHAS. E. BAILEY. }

In presence of
E. A. SKILLMAN, } **EDGAR A. BANCROFT. [SEAL.]**
S. C. HULL. }

STATE OF Illinois, }
 County of Knox, } ss.

On this 10th day of *May*, 1888, personally appeared before me, a *notary public* for the county aforesaid, *Clark E. Carr*, one of the sureties named in the within bond, who made oath that he is worth *eight thousand five hundred* dollars over and above all his debts and liabilities.

CLARK E. CARR.

Sworn and subscribed before me on the day and date aforesaid.

GEORGE A. LAWRENCE,
Notary Public.

STATE OF Illinois, }
 County of Knox, } ss:

On the 10th day of *May*, 1888, personally appeared before me, a *notary public* for the county aforesaid, *Edgar A. Bancroft*, one of the sureties named in the within bond, who made oath that he is worth *eight thousand five hundred* dollars over and above all his debts and liabilities.

EDGAR A. BANCROFT.

Sworn and subscribed before me on the day and date aforesaid.

GEORGE A. LAWRENCE,
Notary Public.

I, *Elmer S. Dundy*, hereby certify that the sureties who have signed the foregoing bond are personally known to me.

**The president or officer authorized to sign for the institution.*

and that each is responsible and sufficient to insure the payment of the entire penalty named therein.

*ELMER S. DUNDY,
Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for the State of Illinois.*

THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE STRICTLY OBSERVED IN PREPARING THE BOND REQUIRED TO BE FURNISHED THE CHIEF OF ORDNANCE, U. S. A., BEFORE ANY ARMS, ETC., CAN BE OBTAINED BY ANY COLLEGE:

50. A copy of the record of the adoption of the resolution of the board of directors or governing body of the institution, including also the record of the resolution itself, authorizing the president to execute the bond on behalf of the corporation, authenticated by the signature of the secretary and the corporate seal, must accompany the bond.

51. A copy of the charter or articles of incorporation, authenticated by the secretary of state, is also required.

52. The sureties must sign and seal the bond. The seal must be attached opposite the signature of each person and must be a seal of *wax*, *wafer*, or other adhesive substance, not a mere scroll with a pen. Their names must be written in the body of the bond, together with their residence, including town, county, State, or Territory.

53. Two witnesses are required to each signature.

54. There must be two sureties when individuals are the sureties. Each surety must make oath that he is worth some specific sum, equal to the full amount of the penalty, over and above all his debts and liabilities. Two persons must not join in one affidavit. Each one must subscribe and acknowledge his own oath separately. The sufficiency of the sureties must be certified to by some United States judge or district attorney, whose official character must be certified to by the clerk of his court, such certificate to be on or attached to the bond.

55. Incorporated surety companies which have complied with the requirements of the War Department will also be accepted as surety on the bond, and in this case only one surety is required.

56. A college corporation desiring ordnance or ordnance stores for the use of the college must furnish evidence that some one is authorized to execute in its behalf the bond which the law requires.

57. This authority can only be given by the governing body of the corporation, i. e., the body invested with authority to employ the faculty and make all other contracts in its behalf, and designated in the charter of the corporation as board of regents, board of trustees, etc., and this body must give the authority in the formal way in which it does other business, the action taken being recorded as a part of the proceedings of the meetings at which it was taken. The evidence of this authority required to be furnished to this office will be an *extract* from the record of the proceedings of the board of regents, or board of trustees, showing that the board met in its official capacity, that a resolution was offered authorizing some person by name to execute the required bond for the corporation, *and that this resolution was adopted*; and this extract must be certified, under the corporate seal, to be a true *extract* from the record of the proceedings of the board, by the secretary or other custodian of the records. His certificate that the authority has been conferred, or that such a resolution was passed, is not sufficient. The record speaks for itself, and a copy of so much of it should be furnished as will show that it purports to be a record of the board, that the resolution was offered, and that it was passed.

58. Great pains should be taken to use the name given the corporation by its charter, and to mention in the resolution the particular bond to be given.

59. It is desired that a copy of the charter be sent to the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, Washington, District of Columbia; also a copy (accompanied by certificate under corporate seal) of so much of the record of the election of the officers of the corporation as will show the election of the particular officer who is to execute the bond.

In calling for form of bond it should be stated—

First. If the principals and sureties are individuals.

Second. If the principal is a corporation and surety an individual.

Third. If principal is an individual and surety a corporation.

Fourth. If both principal and surety are corporations.

As indicated above, there are four forms of bond, as follows:

Form K. When both principal and sureties are individuals.

Form L. When principal is a corporation and sureties are individuals.

Form M. When principal is an individual and surety is a corporation.

Form N. When both principal and surety are corporations.

In calling for the blank forms of bond, they may be called for as "Form K," "Form L," etc.

[1030060, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.



GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 102.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 29, 1905.

I.--The following is published to the Army for the information and guidance of all concerned:

The President of the United States, by order dated June 12, 1903, reserved for purposes of the defense of Grays Harbor, Washington, all of Grass Island, unsurveyed, situate in said harbor in section 18, township 16 north, range 11 west, Willamette meridian, Washington. [1027779, M. S. O.]

II.--Paragraph 1, General Orders, No. 28, War Department, February 14, 1905, is amended to read as follows:

1. No increase of load upon any fortification electric plant beyond that contemplated at the time of installation, or transfer, or any change in the electrical connections shall be made without the approval of the Chief of Engineers. Should additions to load or changes in connections be desired, a statement of the reasons therefor, accompanied by detailed information relative thereto, will be forwarded by the commanding officer of the artillery district to the Chief of Engineers through the district engineer officer.

The district engineer officer will make an inspection of the engineering features of each garrisoned fort within his district during the last ten days of the second month of each quarter. He will give timely notice of the dates of his intended visit to the commanding officer of the artillery district, who, with the artillery engineer of the district, will accompany him in his visit of inspection, in order that they may present their views with reference to any defects in engineer appliances and electrical equipment. Each post commander will accompany the inspectors during the inspection of his post. Defects of a minor character which pertain to the work of the Engineer Department and are plainly the result of a normal and proper use of the emplacements and engineer appliances will be repaired at once by the district engineer officer, if the balances in his hands from the general allotment for preservation and repair of fortifications are sufficient. Defects which indicate imperfections in the installation of the engineer appliances or electrical equipment, or lack of care in operating, will be

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jointly investigated by the district engineer officer, the commanding officer of the artillery district, and the district artillery engineer. The district engineer officer will forward at the earliest practicable date a report of the inspection to the Chief of Engineers for such further action as he may deem necessary in the premises and a copy of the report will be furnished at the same time to the commanding officer of the artillery district. Should a post commander become aware at any time, other than at a regular quarterly inspection, that a serious defect has developed in the engineering appliances or electrical equipment it will be his duty to notify the artillery district commander who will inform the district engineer officer at once in order that the correction may be made, if possible, before the next regular quarterly inspection, and upon the receipt of such notification the district engineer officer will make an investigation with the least practicable delay and submit a special report thereon to the Chief of Engineers.

[1019055, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,

Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,

The Military Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 108.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 29, 1905.

The following changes in the membership of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice are hereby announced:

From the Regular Establishment.

Lieutenant Commander *William S. Sims*, inspector of target practice, United States Navy, having been designated by the Secretary of the Navy for the detail, is appointed a member of the board vice Lieutenant *Mark L. Bristol*, United States Navy, relieved at his own request, having been ordered on sea duty.

Appointments from the Board of Directors of the National Rifle Association.

Brigadier General *Carl A. Wagner*, inspector rifle practice, State of Michigan, vice Major General *Charles F. Roe*, commanding National Guard of New York, whose term of service has expired.

General *George W. Wingate*, of New York, vice Colonel *Henry M. Taylor*, assistant adjutant general of Ohio, whose term of service has expired.

Appointments from the Country at Large.

Major General *Charles F. Roe*, commanding National Guard of New York, vice Brigadier General *Carl A. Wagner*, inspector rifle practice, State of Michigan, appointed a member from the Board of Directors of the National Rifle Association.

Brigadier General *Ammon B. Critchfield*, adjutant general of Ohio, vice Mr. *George J. Gould*, relieved at his own request.

[1030022, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 104. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 30, 1905.

As soon as practicable after the arrival of a recruit at a depot he will be sent by the commanding officer to the surgeon for examination and report as to the recruit's fitness or unfitness for the service. If the recruit be found unfit for service the surgeon will prepare and forward with his report a surgeon's certificate of disability which shall state specifically the nature and extent of the disability, the cause thereof when it is practicable to determine it, and whether or not the disqualifying disability existed prior to enlistment. If the disability existed prior to enlistment the surgeon will state whether or not it is of such a character that it should have been discovered by the recruiting officer at the time of enlistment. This report and the accompanying certificate of disability will be referred by the commanding officer to a board of three officers, one of whom shall be a medical officer, if such officer is available, the board to be appointed by the commanding officer and to proceed as prescribed in paragraph 877 of the Regulations. The record of the proceedings of the board in each case will be forwarded directly to The Military Secretary of the Army with the recommendation of the commanding officer. [1081373, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

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GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 105.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 30, 1905.

The accompanying tables of the price of clothing (both old and new pattern) and equipage and of tableware and kitchen utensils for the Army of the United States, with the money allowance for clothing of the enlisted men for each year and month; the price of clothing and special clothing money allowance for troops stationed in Alaska; the money allowance of clothing of Philippine Scouts; also of the allowance of equipage and of tableware and kitchen utensils, is published for the information and guidance of all concerned, to take effect July 1, 1905, and to remain in force until further orders.

Clothing and equipage purchased in Manila for service in the Philippine Islands will be charged at invoice or cost prices.

Should this order not be received at post on July 1, 1905, then the same will take effect on the date of actual receipt, in which case the provisions of General Orders, No. 103, War Department, June 15, 1904, will govern until the date of receipt.

[1029748, M. S. O.]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

ADNA R. CHAFFEE,
Lieutenant General, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

F. C. AINSWORTH,
The Military Secretary.

Statement of the prices at which clothing for the Army of the United States, as prescribed by General Orders, No. 197, War Department, December 31, 1904, will be issued from July 1, 1905, until further orders.

CLOTHING.	PRICE.
Blankets, woolen:	
Standard.....	each.. \$3.49
Light weight (cotton warp).....	each.. 2.48
Breast cords (all arms).....	each.. .52
Boots, rubber.....	per pair.. 2.75
Breeches, service:	
Cotton, khaki, foot.....	per pair.. 1.14
Cotton, khaki, mounted.....	per pair.. 1.30
Olive-drab, woolen, foot.....	per pair.. 3.47
Olive-drab, woolen, mounted.....	per pair.. 4.11
Canvas fatigue clothing:	
Coats.....	each.. 1.02
Trousers.....	per pair.. 1.00
Cape:	
Canvas, blanket-lined.....	each.. 1.49
Dark-blue, including bands (all arms).....	each.. 1.26
Fur, muskrat.....	each.. 1.87
Cap bands (extra).....	each.. .22
Cap ornaments:	
Bronze (all arms).....	each.. .07
Yellow metal (all arms).....	each.. .07
Chevrons:	
Cloth, dress coat (all arms and grades).....	per pair.. .33
Cloth, service, peace or war.....	per pair.. .15
For cotton khaki service coats (all arms and grades).....	per pair.. .30
For olive-drab service coats (all arms and grades).....	per pair.. .32
For white coats (all arms and grades).....	per pair.. .29
Devices for gun commanders (all kinds).....	per pair.. .21
Devices for observers (all kinds).....	per pair.. .04
Devices for master gunners (all kinds).....	per pair.. 1.16
Devices for gunners (all kinds).....	each.. .03
Coats:	
Dress (all arms).....	each.. 5.78
Service, cotton, khaki (with bellows pockets).....	each.. 1.64
Service, olive-drab, woolen.....	each.. 5.34
Coat-collar ornaments:	
Bronze (all arms).....	each.. .07
Yellow metal (all arms).....	each.. .07
Letters "U. S.," bronze.....	each.. .07
Letters "U. S.," yellow metal.....	each.. .07
Collars, linen.....	each.. .04
Cravats, black silk.....	each.. .10
Drawers:	
Canton flannel.....	per pair.. .45
Cotton, knlt, unbleached.....	per pair.. .28
Jean.....	per pair.. .26
Nainsook.....	per pair.. .29
Winter, heavy weight.....	per pair.. .63
Gauntlets:	
Fur, muskrat.....	per pair.. 1.91
Gloves:	
Cotton, white.....	per pair.. .14
Leather, buckskin.....	per pair.. 1.33
Woolen, white.....	per pair.. .35
Yellow horsehide.....	per pair.. .86
Hats, service.....	each.. 2.72
Hats, service, cords for.....	each.. .06
Hats, service, letters for, bronze.....	each.. .01
Hats, service, numbers for, bronze.....	each.. .01
Hats, service, ornaments for, bronze (post noncommissioned aff).....	each.. .07

Statement of prices of clothing, etc.—Continued.

CLOTHING.		PRICE.
Hats, service, ornaments for, bronze (field artillery)	each	\$0.07
Hats, service, letters "U. S. S." (for enlisted scouts)	each	.07
Leggings, canvas	per pair	.44
Mittens:		
Canvas	per pair	.19
Woolen	per pair	.30
Music pouch for bandsmen, large size	each	3.74
Music pouch for bandsmen, small size	each	3.10
Overcoats, olive-drab	each	14.42
Overshoes, arctic, high (2 buckles)	per pair	1.99
Ponchos, rubber:		
Small size (72 by 60 inches)	each	1.45
Large size, with grommets or glove fasteners (90 by 66 inches)	each	2.47
Shirts:		
Chambray	each	.43
Flannel, olive-drab	each	1.89
Muslin	each	.31
Muslin, bone studs for	each	.01
Shoes:		
Barrack, canvas	per pair	.85
Calfskin, black, Blucher style	per pair	2.23
Russet tanned marching, Blucher style, double sole	per pair	3.11
Russet tanned marching, Blucher style, single sole	per pair	2.97
Stockings:		
Cotton, heavy	per pair	.03
Cotton, light	per pair	.02½
Woolen, heavy	per pair	.25
Woolen, light	per pair	.18
Summer clothing (white):		
Sack coats	each	.94
Trousers	per pair	.81
Suspenders	per pair	.06
Sweaters	each	2.42
Trousers, dress	per pair	3.01
Trouser stripes (cloth) (for all arms and grades)	per pair	.40
Undershirts:		
Cotton, unbleached	each	.23
Nainsook	each	.27
Winter, heavy weight	each	.61
Winter, light weight	each	.40
Waist belts, leather	each	.21

Statement of prices of clothing, etc.—Continued.

**CLOTHING AND OTHER ARTICLES ISSUED EXCLUSIVELY TO
DRUM MAJORS.**

CLOTHING, ETC.	PRICE.
Batons, with cord and tassels	each.. \$7.50
Epaulettes	per pair.. 3.00
Shakos (lynx skin), foot	each.. 40.00
Shakos (lynx skin), mounted	each.. 30.00

Materials entering into the manufacture of the foregoing articles *when sold to officers* will be charged at the following prices:

ARTICLES.	PRICE.
Buttons, dress-coat, gilt, large	per dozen.. \$0.22
Buttons, dress-coat, gilt, small	per dozen.. .14
Buttons, service-coat, bronze, large	per dozen.. .24
Buttons, service-coat, bronze, small	per dozen.. .14
Buttons, overcoat, bronze, large	per dozen.. .33
Cloth, uniform, dark-blue, $\frac{1}{2}$ (17-ounce)	per yard.. 2.13
Cloth, covert, olive-drab, $\frac{1}{2}$	per yard.. 1.59
Flannel, shirting, olive-drab, worsted, 36-inch	per yard.. .56
Flannel, shirting, olive-drab, worsted, 54-inch	per yard.. .84
Khaki, cotton, serge	per yard.. .39
Khaki, cotton	per yard.. .21
Kersey, sky-blue (22-ounce)	per yard.. 1.57
Lustine, olive-drab, 54-inch	per yard.. 1.39
Serge, worsted, olive-drab, $\frac{1}{2}$	per yard.. 1.18 $\frac{1}{2}$

NOTE.—Under paragraph 1184 of the Regulations, officers, contract and dental surgeons, and veterinarians may purchase such articles of uniform clothing, materials, and equipage as they need (provided the property is available) at the prices given in this order. They will certify that the articles are for their personal use. Purchases may also be made by officers for their servants, under paragraph 1185 of the Regulations, of the articles therein named.

Prices at which clothing specially provided for troops stationed in Alaska should be charged.

ARTICLES.	PRICE.
Boots, rubber, hip.....	per pair.. \$3.67
Boots, rubber, knee.....	per pair.. 2.78
Cap, fur, improved.....	..... 2.93
Coat, oilskin.....	..... 1.48
German socks.....	per pair.. 1.40
Gloves, buckskin.....	per pair.. 1.11
Hat, southwest.....	..... .18
Mittens, buckskin.....	per pair.. 1.25
Mittens, fur.....	per pair.. 2.75
Moccasins.....	per pair.. 3.00
Peajacket, canvas, blanket-lined.....	..... 9.50
Trousers, canvas, blanket-lined.....	per pair.. 4.50
Trousers, oilskin.....	per pair.. .84
	\$35.39

A soldier serving in Alaska shall on the first clothing settlement date after his arrival in Alaska be credited with the extra allowance for one year (\$35.39); upon the next settlement date he shall be credited with *no* extra allowance, and on each subsequent settlement date he shall be credited with the extra allowance for one-half year. Soldiers who enlist in Alaska to be regarded in determining clothing allowance as though they arrived in Alaska on day of enlistment.

Soldiers having tours of service in Alaska, not including a settlement date, to be credited at the next settlement with the proportionate part of the extra allowance for such service for the number of days of actual service in Alaska since the last prior settlement; this in addition to the regular clothing allowance. The same rule will be applied in the cases of soldiers who have passed two or more settlement dates in Alaska and who leave before the third or subsequent settlement date.

Allowance of clothing for Philippine Scouts, as per General Orders, No. 24, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, March 12, 1902.

The allowance of clothing will be at the rate of 9 cents per day or \$3.70 per month for each month of enlistment irrespective of grade. The articles of uniform clothing allowed for issue will be designated by the commanding general, Philippines Division.

For clothing manufactured by the Quartermaster's Department in accordance with special measurements furnished, as provided by paragraph 1162 of the Regulations, the following additional charges will be made:

CLOTHING, ETC.	PRICE.
Breeches, service:	
Cotton, khaki, foot..... per pair..	\$0.43
Cotton, khaki, mounted..... per pair..	.47
Olive-drab, woolen, foot..... per pair..	.52
Olive-drab, woolen, mounted..... per pair..	.68
Coats, service:	
Cotton, khaki..... each..	.67
Olive-drab, woolen..... each..	1.54
Overcoats, olive-drab..... each..	2.57
Overcoats, canvas, blanket lined..... each..	.36
For sewing chevrons upon garments, irrespective of rank, per pair.....	.15
For sewing stripes upon trousers, irrespective of rank, per pair.....	.75

Allowance of clothing in kind for enlisted men, the aggregate cost of same constituting the annual money allowance.

ARTICLES.	YEAR.				Total for 3 years.
	FIRST.				
	1st 6 mos.	2d 6 mos.	Second.	Thld.	
Blankets, wool.....no	2				2
Breast cords for dress coats.....no	1				1
Breeches, service, cotton, khaki.....pairs	1	1	1	1	4
Breeches, service, olive-drab, woolen.....pairs	1		1	1	3
Caps, dark-blue with detachable bands.....no	2		1	1	4
Cap ornaments.....no	2		1	1	4
Chevrons, cloth, dress coat.....pairs	1				1
Chevrons for cotton khaki service coats.....pairs	1	1	1	1	4
Chevrons for olive-drab service coats.....pairs	1		1	1	3
Chevrons for olive-drab overcoats.....pairs	1		1	1	3
Chevrons for white coats.....pairs	1	1	1		3
Coats, canvas, fatigue, except for coast artillery and mounted troops.....no	1		1	1	3
Coats, canvas, fatigue, for mounted troops.....no	2		1	2	5
Coats, canvas, fatigue, for coast artillery.....no	2		1	2	5
Coats, dress.....no	1				1

Allowance of clothing in kind for enlisted men, etc.—Cont'd.

ARTICLES.	YEAR.				Total for 3 years.
	FIRST.		Second.	Thrid.	
	1st 6 mos.	2d 6 mos.			
Coats, cotton khaki, service.....no..	1	1	1	1	
Coats, olive-drab, service.....no..	1		1	1	
Coats, white.....no..	1	1	1		
Coat collar, ornaments for, bronze.....pairs..	2	1	2	2	
Coat collar, ornaments for, gilt.....pairs..	2	1	1		
Coat-collar letters, "U. S.," bronze.....pairs..	2	1	2	2	
Coat-collar letters, "U. S.," gilt.....pairs..	2	1	1		
Collars, linen.....no..	6	4	12	12	3
Drawers, pairs.....no..	2	1	3	3	
Gloves, white cotton.....pairs..	3	3	5	3	1
Gloves, buckskin.....pairs..	1		1	1	
Gloves, white wool.....pairs..	1		1		
Hats, service, with cord, letter, and num- bers.....no..	1	1	1	1	
Hat ornaments for post noncommissioned staff.....no..	1	1	1	1	
Hat ornaments for field artillery.....no..	1	1	1	1	
Helmets, cork.....no..	1				
Leggings.....pairs..	1	1	2	1	
Overcoats, olive-drab.....no..	1				
Shirts, chambray.....no..	2	1	2	1	
Shirts, olive-drab flannel.....no..	2		1	1	
Shirts, under.....no..	2	1	3	3	
Shoes, barrack.....pairs..	1		1	1	
Shoes, calfskin.....pairs..	1	1	1	2	
Shoes, marching, or other regulation calf- skin shoes.....pairs..	1		1		
Stockings, cotton.....pairs..	3	3	6	4	1
Stockings, woolen.....pairs..	3	1	3	3	1
Suspenders.....pairs..	1		1	1	
Trousers, canvas, fatigue, except for coast artillery and mounted troops.....pairs..	1		1	1	
Trousers, canvas, fatigue, for coast ar- tillery.....pairs..	2		1	2	
Trousers, canvas, fatigue, for mounted troops.....pairs..	2		2	2	
Trousers, dress.....pairs..	1		1		
Trousers, white.....pairs..	1	1	1		
Trousers stripes.....pairs..	1		1		
BAND MUSICIANS, authorized by law, are entitled to the following in addition to the foregoing, to remain the property of the United States, viz:					
Music pouch.....	1				

Statement of the prices at which clothing for the Army of the United States, procured prior to the establishment of the new uniform, will be issued from July 1, 1905, until further orders.

CLOTHING.	PRICE
Afgullettes and shoulder knots	each.. \$1.49
Blouses:	
Drum majors', made	each.. 5.67
Lined, made	each.. 2.93
Unlined, made	each.. 1.90
Chevrons, gold lace, all grades (artillery only)	per pair.. 1.71
Chevrons, gold lace, service, peace or war	per pair.. .44
Coats, uniform dress:	
Drum majors', made	each.. 7.91
Noncommissioned officers' and privates', foot, made	each.. 5.81
Noncommissioned officers' and privates', mounted, made, each	5.64
Musicians', foot, made	each.. 6.34
Musicians', mounted, made	each.. 6.17
Facings for, including silk	per set.. .53
Khaki service, without bellows pockets	each.. .82
Gauntlets, leather, buckskin	per pair.. 1.90
Hats, service (old pattern)	each.. .53
Helmets, cork:	
Khaki	each.. .40
White	each.. .25
Overalls	per pair.. .63
Overcoats, kersey, made	each.. 6.44
Overcoats, kersey, cape linings for	each.. 1.02
Shirts, dark-blue flannel	each.. 1.53
Shoes:	
Calfskin, black (old pattern)	per pair.. 2.06
Calfskin, russet (old pattern)	per pair.. 2.18
Stable frocks	each.. .72
Trousers, kersey:	
Foot, made, 22-ounce	per pair.. 3.01
Mounted, made, 22-ounce	per pair.. 4.17
Foot, made, 16-ounce	per pair.. 2.16
Mounted, made, 16-ounce	per pair.. 2.76
Trousers, khaki, foot	per pair.. .59
Shoulder straps for khaki service coats	per pair.. .03

For clothing manufactured by the Quartermaster's Department in accordance with *special measurements* furnished, as provided by paragraph 1162 of the Regulations, the following additional charges will be made:

CLOTHING, ETC.	PRICE
Blouses	each.. \$0.25
Dress coats, foot	each.. .42
Dress coats, mounted	each.. .42
Overcoats, kersey	each.. .25
Trousers	per pair.. .25

MATERIALS. (See also page 4.)		PRICE.
Cloth, dark-blue, $\frac{3}{4}$ 20-ounce.....	per yard	\$1.75
Flannel, blouse, dark-blue, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	.98
Flannel, blouse lining, dark-blue, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	.34
Flannel, shirting, dark-blue, 10-ounce, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	.73
Kersey, dark-blue, 22-ounce, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	1.81
Kersey, dark-blue, 16-ounce, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	.87
Kersey, sky-blue, 22-ounce, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	1.57
Kersey, sky-blue, 16-ounce, $\frac{3}{4}$	per yard	.87

NOTE.—Under paragraph 1184 of the Regulations, officers, contract and dental surgeons, and veterinarians may purchase such articles of uniform clothing, materials, and equipage as they need (provided the property is available) at the prices given in this order. They will certify that the articles are for their personal use. Purchases may also be made by officers for their servants, under paragraph 1185 of the Regulations, of the articles therein named.

Table specifying the money allowance for clothing to enlisted men of the U. S. Army from July 1, 1905.

FOOT.

	TOTAL.			PER MONTH.				
	First year.			Second year.		Third year.		
	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	For 3 years.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First year.	Second year.	Third year.
Noncommissioned staff officers	\$76.86	\$14.04	\$41.76	\$33.48	\$106.14	\$12.81	\$32.34	\$32.48
Noncommissioned officers, all arms and grades, except noncommissioned staff and coast artillery	76.74	13.68	41.64	33.46	106.54	12.79	2.28	3.47
Noncommissioned officers, coast artillery	78.76	13.68	41.64	35.52	109.62	13.13	2.28	3.47
Bandsmen, infantry and engineers and field musicians, except coast artillery	76.18	13.06	40.68	32.86	101.68	12.53	2.18	3.39
Bandsmen, artillery and field musicians, coast artillery	77.22	13.06	40.68	34.80	106.76	12.87	2.18	3.39
Artificers, infantry and 1st class privates, ordnance and engineers	76.38	13.68	41.28	33.46	104.82	12.73	2.28	3.44
Privates (except coast artillery)	74.82	13.06	40.32	32.86	101.10	12.47	2.18	3.36
Privates, coast artillery	76.80	13.06	40.32	34.80	105.00	12.90	2.18	3.36

MOUNTED.													
TOTAL.					PER MONTH.								
First year.		Second year.		Third year.		For 3 years.		First year.		Second year.		Third year.	
First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.
\$73.56	\$13.80	\$43.44	\$86.24	\$173.04	\$13.26	\$2.30	\$3.02	\$73.62	\$13.86	\$43.44	\$86.24	\$173.28	\$13.27
76.02	13.86	43.44	36.36	173.28	13.27	2.31	3.03	3.03	3.03	3.03	3.03	3.03	3.03
78.00	13.20	42.48	35.64	168.32	13.00	2.20	3.54	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97
78.06	13.26	42.60	35.64	168.56	13.01	2.21	3.55	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97
79.20	13.80	42.72	36.00	171.72	13.20	2.30	3.56	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
79.20	13.86	42.72	36.00	171.78	13.20	2.31	3.56	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
77.64	13.20	42.12	35.64	168.60	12.94	2.21	3.51	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97
77.64	13.26	42.12	35.64	168.66	12.94	2.21	3.51	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97	2.97

Noncommissioned officers, all arms and grades, except field artillery.	
Noncommissioned officers, all grades, field artillery.	
Bandsmen and trumpeters, cavalry.	
Field musicians, field artillery.	
Farriers and blacksmiths, saddlers, privates 1st class, Hospital Corps, and privates, Signal Corps.	
Artificers, field artillery.	
Privates, except Signal Corps and field artillery.	
Privates, field artillery.	

Quarter electricians (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1903.)
 Sergeant majors, senior grade, artillery (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1903.)
 Electrician sergeants (See G. O. No. 15, A. G. O., Feb. 13, 1901.)
 Sergeants, 1st class, sergeants, corporals (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1903.)
 Lance corporals, 1st class, privates, and April 29, 1903—No. 178141, G. M. G. O.)
 privates of the Hospital Corps
 Chief musicians (except artillery) (See section 1279, Revised Statutes.)
 Chief musicians, artillery (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1899,
 and G. O. No. 15, A. G. O., Feb. 13, 1901.)
 Sergeant majors, junior grade, artillery (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1901.)
 Color sergeants (See G. O. No. 15, A. G. O., Feb. 13, 1901.)
 Sergeants, squadron and battalion sergeant majors (See act of Congress approved Feb.
 2, 1901.)
 Drum majors (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1900.)
 Company quartermaster sergeants, engi-
 neers, and coast artillery, and battery
 quartermaster sergeants, field artillery
 Cooks (except Signal Corps) (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1900.)
 Cooks, Signal Corps (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1900.)
 Mechanics, coast artillery (See decision of Judge Advocate General, United
 States Army, approved by Assistant Secretary of War, Dec. 27, 1899.)
 West Point Band (See act of Congress approved March 2, 1901, amending
 section 1111, Revised Statutes, and decision of Judge Advocate General, United States
 Army, approved by Assistant Secretary of War, May 1, 1901.)
 Indian scouts While in service Indians employed as scouts will receive the pay and allowances of
 cavalry soldiers. (See paragraph 478 of the Regulations.)

The clothing money allowance is increased for all enlisted men who, having drawn in the current enlistment the old-pattern uniform, have been required since June 30, 1904, or may hereafter be required in the same enlistment, to draw the new-pattern olive-drab uniform, by the following amounts:

In case of soldiers who received the allowance for the first six months of enlistment as fixed by General Orders, No. 103, War Department, 1904, as amended by General Orders, No. 122, War Department, 1904, \$18.73.

In case of soldiers who received the allowance for the first six months of their enlistments under clothing orders in force prior to General Orders, No. 103, War Department, 1904, \$35.39.

Credit for the additional amounts thus authorized will be given on the first settlement date after drawing the new uniform, or on discharge if discharged prior to the next settlement date.

The extra clothing allowance herein provided for affects no men in organizations not fully uniformed in the olive-drab uniform, nor does it affect any soldier who made the change of uniform in a prior enlistment. (G. O., No. 18, War Dept., Feb. 8, 1905.)

Instructions with reference to the settlement of the clothing accounts of enlisted men are contained in paragraphs 2, 3, 4, and 5, Circular, No. 41, War Department, September 8, 1904.

"The money allowance of clothing will be allotted by half years and the soldier will be credited at first settlement after enlistment with the allowance for the first half year and at each succeeding settlement with the allowance for corresponding half year." * * * (See paragraph 1170 of the Regulations as amended by G. O., No. 104, War Dept., June 15, 1904.)

For convenience, the tables of money allowances will give also the monthly allowances for the first and second six months of the first year's enlistment, and also the monthly allowance of the second and third year's enlistment.

Each enlisted man is allowed, for the first year of every enlistment, the sum of five dollars for the purpose of having his clothing altered and fitted to his person. This sum is included in the first six months of the first year's allowance, as published in the accompanying tables.

This to remain in force during the period of issue of the old-pattern blue clothing.

NOTE.—No change whatever will be made in the articles of new-pattern clothing (see table on pages 2 and 3) herein prescribed. Paragraphs 1 and 14, General Orders, No. 197, War Department, 1904, must be strictly enforced.

An allowance of \$5 per month is made to each army band for the purchase of music. (Decision of Chief of Staff, Nov. 12, 1904. 194953 Q. M. G. O.)

The following articles will be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department upon approval by the post commanders. They do not form part of the annual money allowance of clothing (paragraph 1176 of the Regulations):

ARTICLES.	YEAR.				Total for 3 years.
	FIRST.		Second.	Third.	
	1st 6 mos.	2d 6 mos.			
Caps, canvas <i>a</i>.....no.	1		1	1	3
Caps, fur <i>a</i>.....no.	1		1	1	3
Gauntlets, muskrat <i>a</i>.....pairs.	1		1	1	3
Mittens, canvas <i>a</i>.....pairs.	1		1	1	3
Mittens, wool <i>a</i>.....pairs.	1		2	2	5
Overshoes, arctic <i>a</i>.....pairs.	1			1	2

a To be charged at cost price at time of issue.

Whenever required, the following articles will be supplied by the Quartermaster's Department and charged to the enlisted men at cost price. They do not form part of the annual money allowance:

ARTICLES.	YEAR.				Total for 3 years.
	FIRST.		Second.	Third.	
	1st 6 mos.	2d 6 mos.			
Cravats.....no.	2		2	2	6
Ponchos, rubber.....no.	1			1	2

White cotton undershirts, white muslin shirts, sweaters, gymnasium shoes, waist belts, and knit wool drawers will be supplied upon application to the Quartermaster's Department. They will be charged at cost or invoice price, but are not computed in the soldier's annual money allowance.

The insignia for gun commanders, observers, master gunners, and gunners, as well as service chevrons (peace or war), are issued without charge, not exceeding one set of insignia per garment drawn. (Authority Actg. Sec. War, June 6, 1905.)

Overcoats made of fur or other suitable warm material will be issued and accounted for in the manner prescribed by paragraph 1178 of the Regulations.

Articles of band uniforms, including music pouches, that do not form part of the annual clothing allowance, may be issued but not charged except in case of loss or damage. They will, however, remain the property of the United States. (Paragraph 1177 of the Regulations.)

A soldier may, when necessary, be relieved from ordinary military duty to make, repair, or alter uniforms. The post council will fix the rates to

be charged, which will not exceed the cost of doing such work at the clothing depot, and company commanders will cause to be deducted from the pay of enlisted men and turned over to the proper party the amount properly due therefor. (Paragraph 270 of the Regulations.)

Enlisted men who, upon their enlistment, are furnished with overcoats having different cape linings than the arm of service to which they are finally assigned will be furnished, without cost, with new linings, and the sum of \$1 each for inserting said linings will be defrayed by the Quartermaster's Department upon receipt of estimate of funds.

In no case should the Quartermaster's Department be put to the expense of changing any part of the uniform by reason of *voluntary* transfer of men from one arm of the service to another.

The issue of overcoat capes to enlisted men, separately from the overcoat, is not authorized. (Decision Sec. War. Letter Dec. 3, 1885.)

Each prisoner, upon his release from confinement under a court-martial sentence, involving dishonorable discharge, is entitled to a suit of citizen's outer clothing, at a cost of not to exceed ten dollars. (Act of Congress, approved March 16, 1896.)

Prices at which articles of equipage will be charged in case of loss, damage, or otherwise.

ARTICLE.	PRICE.	ARTICLE.	PRICE.
Ax	\$0.42	Color, infantry, regimental, silk	\$135.00
Axhelve	.09	Color staff	3.10
Ax sling	1.25	Company marking stamp	3.50
Barrack bag	.68	Cot	1.61
Bedsack	.91	Drum, complete	4.32
Bedsheet	.30	Drum case	.40
Bedstead, iron, with woven-wire bottom, double deck (new style)	7.75	Drumhead, batter or snare	.46
Bedstead, iron, with woven-wire bottom, single (new style)	4.36	Drum rod	.20
Bedstead, iron, with woven-wire bottom (old style)	5.45	Drum sling	.72
Broom, corn	.22	Drum snares, set	.18
Brush, scrubbing	.08	Drumsticks, pairs	.35
Bugle, field artillery	1.85	Drumstick carriages	.23
Bunk bottom, woven-wire	1.05	Flife	.18½
Bunk, iron, without slats or bunk bottoms	3.58	Flag, boat, lieutenant general	1.75
Card holders for bunks	.01	Flag, boat, major general	1.60
Chair, barrack	.91	Flag, boat, brigadier general	1.50
Color belt (olive-drab)	8.50	Flag, garrison	23.10
Color belt and sling	2.40	Flag, hospital, field	2.25
Color, camp with staff	2.75	Flag, hospital, general	3.25
Color, artillery corps, silk	155.00	Flag, post	7.65
Color, artillery corps, national, silk	41.00	Flag, storm and recruiting	2.09
Color, engineer, battalion, silk	140.00	Flag, halliards, garrison and post	2.94
Color, engineer, national, service	16.00	Flag, halliards, recruiting	.19
Color, engineer, national, silk	41.00	Guidon, ambulance, including staff	1.85
Color, infantry, national, service	16.00	Guidon, artillery, service	4.50
Color, infantry, national, silk	41.00	Guidon, artillery, silk	18.00
Color, infantry, national, service	16.00	Guidon, cavalry, service	2.35
Color, infantry, national, silk	41.00	Guidon, cavalry, silk	8.00
		Guidon, engineer, service	7.50
		Guidon, engineer, silk	38.00
		Guidon, staff	2.75
		Hammock	.86
		Hand litter	3.62
		Hatchet	.25

*Prices at which articles of equipage will be charged in case of
loss, damage, or otherwise—Continued.*

ARTICLE.	PRICE.	ARTICLE.	PRICE.
Hatchet helve	\$0.03	Tent wall, regulation, com- plete	\$29.34
Hatchet sling .....	.90	Tent wall, improved	22.96
Kettle, camp .....	.17	Tent wall, improved, com- plete	34.73
Mattress	1.89	Tent fly, hospital, regula- tion	14.30
Mattress cover .....	.79	Tent fly, hospital, improved	30.76
Mess pan .....	.12	Tent fly, storage	19.08
Mosquito bar .....	.98	Tent fly, wall, regulation	7.31
Mosquito head net .....	.31	Tent fly, wall, improved	9.13
Overcoat, buffalo	25.00	Tent pins, common * set .....	.30
Overcoat, canvas, blanket- lined	8.00	Tent pins, conical wall, * set .....	.60
Pennant for post com- mander .....	.95	Tent pins, hospital * set .....	.71
Pickax .....	.30	Tent pins, hospital, im- proved	1.13
Pickax helve .....	.08	Tent pins, shelter * set .....	.10
Pillow .....	.32	Tent pins, storage * set	1.36
Pillowcase .....	.10	Tent pins, wall * set .....	.43
Pot, iron	1.06	Tent pins, large .....	.02
Shovel, long-handled .....	.51	Tent pins, small .....	.01
Shovel, short-handled .....	.51	Tent pins, shelter .....	.01
Spade .....	.55	Tent poles, common set .....	.81
Standard, cavalry, national, service	16.00	Tent poles, conical wall, set .....	.62
Standard, cavalry, national, silk	29.00	Tent poles, hospital, regulation	2.88
Standard, cavalry, regi- mental, silk	95.00	Tent poles, hospital, improved	11.00
Standard staff	3.10	Tent poles, shelter .....	.21
Stencil plates, set .....	.80	Tent poles, storage	11.86
Telescope case	2.28	Tent poles, wall, regula- tion .....	.97
Tent, common, with wall	12.74	Tent poles, wall, im- proved	1.98
Tent, common, with wall complete	13.85	Tent chains .....	.55
Tent, conical wall, regula- tion	32.98	Tent pole sockets .....	.38
Tent, conical wall, regula- tion, complete	36.91	Tent rings, 7-inch .....	.06
Tent, conical wall, im- proved, complete with stoves and other appur- tenances	38.55	Tent rings, 18-inch .....	.21
Tent, hospital, regulation	44.88	Tent slips, metal, all kinds .....	.08
Tent, hospital, regulation, complete	62.75	Tent stoves .....	.97
Tent, hospital, improved	63.64	Tent stovepipe .....	.07
Tent, hospital, improved, complete	96.53	Tent straps .....	.10
Tent, shelter, and clothing roll combined, each half	2.18	Tent tripods	1.29
Tent, shelter, and clothing roll combined, complete	4.89	Trumpet "G," with "F" slide and extra mouthpiece	2.21
Tent, storage	70.84	Trumpet cord and tassel .....	.31
Tent, storage, complete	103.14	Trumpet crook .....	.21
Tent, wall, regulation	20.63	Trumpet mouthpiece, each .....	.35
		Whistle .....	.13

Hospital tents and files require 18 large and 28 small pins.
Wall tents and files require 10 large and 18 small pins.
Conical wall tents require 48 small pins.
Common tents require 24 small pins.
Shelter tents require 10 pins.
Storage tents and files require 44 large and 38 small pins.

Allowance of equipage.

IN CAMP OR GARRISON.

	TENTS.*							
	Conical wall.	Wall.	Common.	Axes.	Hatchets.	Spades.	Pickaxes.	Camp kettles. Mess pans.
A general officer	3			1	1			
Field and staff officer above rank of captain	2			1	1			
Other staff officers, or captains	1			1	1			
Subalterns of companies, to every 2	1			1	1			
To every 3 foot or 3 mounted men			1					
To every 15 foot or 13 mounted men				2	2	2	2	5
To every 20 foot or 17 mounted men	1							
For storage of subsistence stores:								
For each battery, troop, or com- pany			1					
For each corps, division, or bri- gade headquarters, 1 hospital tent or its equivalent								
For each regimental headquarters	1							

* See also G. O., No. 54, H. Q. A., May 25, 1898; G. O., No. 76, H. Q. A., June 22, 1898, and G. O., No. 98, H. Q. A., May 26, 1899.

Tents for the sick, their attendants, and hospital supplies.

	TENTS.	
	Com- mon.	Hos- pital.
For 1 company	1	1
For 2 companies	1	1
For 3 companies	2	1
For 4 companies	2	1
For 5 companies	3	1
For 6 companies	3	1
For 7 companies	3	1
For 8 companies	3	1
For 9 companies	4	1
For 10 companies	4	1
For 12 companies	5	1

Flags.

	Post.	Storm.	Field or gen- eral hospital.	Halyards.
For each post or garrison per annum..	2	2	2	2
For each recruiting station per annum..	2	2	2	2
For each fortification in charge of an ordnance sergeant. per annum..	2	2	2	2
For all hospitals and field hospitals.. per annum..	2	2	2	2

Where the allowance of post flags for any reason is not drawn the issue of an equal number of storm flags in lieu thereof is authorized.

Under the provisions of paragraph 220 of the Regulations, the following posts are designated to display the garrison flag, provided the flagstaff is seventy feet or more in height, viz:

Adams, Fort, R. I.; Alcatraz Island, Cal.; Assiniboine, Fort, Mont.; Banks, Fort, Mass.; Barrancas, Fort, Fla.; Bliss, Fort, Tex.; Brady, Fort, Mich.; Brown, Fort, Tex.; Caswell, Fort, N. C.; Clark, Fort, Tex.; Columbus Barracks, Ohio; Crook, Fort, Nebr.; D. A. Russell, Fort, Wyo.; Des Moines, Fort, Iowa; Douglas, Fort, Utah; Ethan Allen, Fort, Vt.; Hamilton, Fort, N. Y.; Hancock, Fort, N. J.; H. G. Wright, Fort, N. Y.; Howard, Fort, Md.; Jackson Barracks, La.; Jay, Fort, N. Y.; Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; Keogh, Fort, Mont.; Key West Barracks, Fla.; Leavenworth, Fort, Kans.; Logan, Fort, Colo.; Madison Barracks, N. Y.; McDowell, Fort, Cal.; McHenry, Fort, Md.; McKinley, Fort, Manila, P. I.; McPherson, Fort, Ga.; Mason, Fort, Cal.; Monroe, Fort, Va.; Moultrie, Fort, S. C.; Myer, Fort, Va.; Niagara, Fort, N. Y.; Ord Barracks, Cal.; Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.; Porter, Fort, N. Y.; Preble, Fort, Me.; Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.; Riley, Fort, Kans.; Robinson, Fort, Nebr.; Sam Houston, Fort, Tex.; Schuyler, Fort, N. Y.; Screven, Fort, Ga.; Sheridan, Fort, Ill.; Slocum, Fort, N. Y.; Snelling, Fort, Minn.; Stevens, Fort, Oreg.; Thomas, Fort, Ky.; Totten, Fort, N. Y.; Trumbull, Fort, Conn.; Vancouver Barracks, Wash.; Wadsworth, Fort, N. Y.; Warren, Fort, Mass.; Washington Barracks, D. C.; Washington, Fort, Md.; Wayne, Fort, Mich.; West Point, N. Y.; Wingate, Fort, N. Mex.; Yellowstone, Fort, Wyo.; Frankford Arsenal, Pa.; Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.; Springfield Armory, Mass.; Watertown Arsenal, Mass.; Watervliet Arsenal, N. Y.

Barrack chairs.

Barracks will be supplied with chairs, at a rate not exceeding one for each noncommissioned officer and one for every two of the other enlisted men quartered therein. (Paragraph 1029 of the Regulations.)

Corn brooms and scrubbing brushes.

The allowance of corn brooms and scrubbing brushes will be as follows:

For each organization having an authorized maximum strength of 150 enlisted men or over, nine brooms and six brushes per month.

For each organization having an authorized maximum strength of 100 enlisted men, more or less, six brooms and four brushes per month.

Two brooms and one brush per month to each regimental band.

Three brooms and two brushes per annum for each noncommissioned staff officer, including those of posts, regiments, squadrons, battalions, and the Artillery Corps.

Six brushes per annum to each post bakery.

Twelve brooms and eight brushes per annum to each city recruiting station.

They will habitually be drawn quarterly, but may be drawn when needed.

If less than the maximum allowance is drawn in one quarter, credit cannot be given in another. (See paragraph 1191 of the Regulations.)

Prices at which articles of tableware and kitchen utensils will be charged in case of loss, damage, etc.

ARTICLES.	PRICE.	ARTICLES.	PRICE.
Basting spoons.....each..	\$0.05	Meat cutters.....each..	\$2.96
Bowls.....each..	.11	Meat saws.....each..	.74
Bread knives.....each..	.09	Mustard pots.....each..	.13
Butcher knives.....each..	.14	Mustard spoons.....each..	.01
Can openers.....each..	.04	Pepper boxes.....each..	.04
Carving sets.....each..	1.29	Pickle dishes.....each..	.21
Carving knives.....each..	.58	Salt cellars.....each..	.05
Carving forks.....each..	.53	Saucers.....each..	.07
Carving steels.....each..	.21	Sirup pitchers.....each..	.47
Chopping bowls.....each..	.48	Skimmers.....each..	.09
Cleavers.....each..	.59	Soup ladles.....each..	.11
Coffee mills.....each..	4.40	Scales and weights.....each..	3.03
Cups.....each..	.10	Soup plates.....each..	.11
Dippers.....each..	.08	Sugar bowls.....each..	.32
Dinner plates.....each..	.10	Tablespoons.....each..	.21
Dish pans.....each..	.41	Table forks.....each..	.21
Flour sieves.....each..	.43	Table knives.....each..	.16
Frying pans.....each..	.29	Teaspoons.....each..	.11
Graters.....each..	.14	Tumblers.....each..	.04
Gravy boats.....each..	.28	Vegetable dishes.....each..	.39
Meat plates.....each..	1.06	Vinegar cruets.....each..	.20
Meat forks.....each..	.07	Water pitchers.....each..	.73
Meat choppers.....each..	5.99		

Equipment of tableware and kitchen utensils, based on General Orders, No. 7, Adjutant General's Office, 1895, and under provisions of paragraph 298 of the Regulations.

ALLOWANCE FOR ORGANIZATIONS OF VARIOUS STRENGTHS.							
	28	65	100	104	109	120	160
	Men.	Men.	Men.	Men.	Men.	Men.	Men.
Basting spoons.....	3	6	10	10	11	12	16
Bread knives.....	2	4	7	7	7	8	11
Butcher knives.....	2	4	7	7	7	8	11
Can openers.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Carving sets.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Chopping bowls.....	2	4	7	7	7	8	11
Cleavers.....	1	1	2	2	2	2	3
Coffee mills.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dippers.....	3	6	10	10	11	12	16
Dish pans.....	2	4	7	7	7	8	11
Flour sieves.....	1	1	2	2	2	2	3
Frying pans.....	2	4	7	7	7	8	11
Graters.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Meat saws.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Meat forks.....	3	6	10	10	11	12	16
Meat choppers or cutters.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Mustard spoons.....	6	12	20	21	22	24	32
Scales and weights.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Skimmers.....	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Soup ladles.....	3	6	10	10	11	12	16
Tablespoons.....	28	65	100	104	109	120	160
Table forks.....	28	65	100	104	109	120	160
Table knives.....	28	65	100	104	109	120	160
Teaspoons.....	28	65	100	104	109	120	160

Interpolations.

For any number of men not given in the foregoing tables, calculate the allowance by simple proportion, taking the allowance of 100 men as a basis. When such proportion results in the fraction of an article, $\frac{1}{2}$ or less is disregarded, more than $\frac{1}{2}$ is counted as 1; except that a final $\frac{1}{2}$ is counted as 1 in cases where only one article is allowed 30 or 60 men—*i. e.*, skimmers, meat saws, meat choppers or cutters, carving sets, cleavers, sieves, and graters.

GENERAL ORDERS, {
No. 106.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 30, 1905.

I.--The following is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

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WASHINGTON, June 30, 1905.

By direction of the President, Brigadier General *Samuel M. Mills*, Chief of Artillery, is detailed as an additional member of the board appointed by Executive order dated January 31, 1905, published in General Orders, No. 20, February 9, 1905, War Department.

WM. H. TAFT,
Secretary of War.

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II.--Candidates selected for appointment as cadets of the United States Military Academy will be authorized to take the prescribed examination at the Army posts nearest or most convenient to their homes, or to the schools at which they are in regular attendance at the time of their selection for appointment, and they will not be permitted to take the examination elsewhere. [1024397, M. S. O.]

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